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STATISTICS OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

I.—POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS.

Population of Metropolitan Area, 31st December, 1935, Males, 99,769 ; Females, 110,596 ; Total, 210,365.

No. 1.—Population of Western Australia (exclusive of full-blood Aboriginals*) from 1926.

Period.	Estimated Population on last day of period.			Increase during period.	Masculinity.†	Mean Population.
	Males.	Females.	Total.			
1926 ...	206,797	178,436	385,233	7,706	7·36	380,930
1931 ...	232,397	201,289	433,686	2,076	7·18	432,347
1932 ...	233,049	203,271	436,320	2,634	6·82	435,041
1933 ...	234,442	205,822	440,264	3,944	6·50	438,688
1934 ...	235,239	207,371	442,610	2,346	6·30	441,611
1935 ...	237,229	210,516	447,745	5,135	5·97	445,384
First Quarter, 1936	237,881	211,088	448,969	1,224	5·97	448,357
April, 1936	238,064	211,347	449,411	442	5·94	449,190
May, 1936	238,128	211,677	449,805	394	5·88	449,608
June, 1936	238,468	212,212	450,680	875	5·83	450,243
Second Quarter, 1936	238,468	212,212	450,680	1,711	5·83	449,825

* Estimated Full-blood Aboriginal Population in the State on 30th June, 1935 : 22,188. † Number of Males over Females in each 100 of total population.

No. 2.—Arrivals in and Departures from Western Australia from 1926.

Period.	Arrivals.			Departures.			Excess of Arrivals over Departures.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1926 ...	19,093	11,639	30,732	17,025	10,952	27,977	2,068	687	2,755
1931 ...	8,363	5,829	14,192	10,886	6,098	16,984	†2,523	†269	†2,792
1932 ...	8,809	6,637	15,446	9,974	7,088	17,062	†1,165	†451	†1,616
1933 ...	9,515	7,746	17,261	9,730	7,671	17,401	†215	75	†140
1934 ...	9,600	8,009	17,609	10,230	8,758	18,988	†630	†749	†1,379
1935 ...	10,467	9,266	19,733	10,149	8,450	18,599	318	816	1,134
First Quarter, 1936 ...	3,329	2,939	6,268	3,092	3,006	6,098	237	†67	170
April, 1936 ...	1,388	1,242	2,630	1,381	1,183	2,564	7	59	66
May, 1936 ...	930	914	1,844	999	835	1,834	†69	79	10
June, 1936 ...	949	880	1,829	736	583	1,319	213	297	510
Second Quarter, 1936 ...	3,267	3,036	6,303	3,116	2,601	5,717	151	435	586

† Excess of departures over arrivals.

No. 3.—Number of Marriages, Births, and Deaths registered in Western Australia from 1926.

Period.	Marriages Registered.	Births Registered			Deaths Registered.			Excess of Births over Deaths.	Annual Birth, Death, and Marriage Rate per 1,000 of Mean Population.		
		M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.		Birth Rate.	Death Rate	Marriage Rate.
1926 ...	2,844	4,306	3,995	8,301	2,131	1,219	3,350	4,951	21·79	8·79	7·47
1931 ...	2,741	4,428	4,121	8,549	2,376	1,305	3,681	4,868	19·77	8·51	6·34
1932 ...	2,904	4,122	3,843	7,965	2,305	1,410	3,715	4,250	18·31	8·54	6·68
1933 ...	3,374	3,981	3,893	7,874	2,373	1,417	3,790	4,084	17·95	8·64	7·60
1934 ...	3,682	3,958	3,843	7,801	2,531	1,545	4,076	3,725	17·66	9·23	8·34
1935 ...	3,940	4,183	3,936	8,119	2,511	1,607	4,118	4,001	18·23	9·25	8·85
First Quarter, 1936	1,122	1,043	1,010	2,053	628	371	979	1,054	18·42	8·96	10·06
April, 1936	442	353	323	676	177	123	300	376	18·36	8·15	12·00
May, 1936	305	334	364	698	201	113	314	384	18·33	8·25	8·01
June, 1936	340	328	372	700	201	134	335	385	18·97	9·08	9·21
Second Quarter, 1936	1,087	1,015	1,059	2,074	579	370	949	1,125	18·54	8·49	9·72

II.—CENSUS OF 1933.

NOTE.—All population figures are exclusive of full-blood aborigines.

No. 4.—Summary of Population and Dwellings of Local Government Areas in Western Australia on 30th June, 1933.

Local Government Areas.	Population.			Dwellings.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Occupied.	Unoccupied.	Total.
Urban—						
Metropolitan :						
Municipalities	67,983	75,593	143,576	32,425	942
Road Districts	31,305	32,559	63,864	15,288	740
Total, Metropolitan		99,288	108,152	207,440	47,713	1,682
Provincial :						
Municipalities	23,060	21,745	44,805	10,187	296
Rural—						
Road Districts	108,732	74,677	183,409	45,678	2,311
Migratory	2,857	341	3,198	...	47,989
Total, Census, 30-6-33	...	233,937	204,915	438,852	103,578	*4,289
Total, Census, 4-4-21	...	177,278	155,454	332,732	73,550	*3,563
						107,867
						77,113

* Including 260 dwellings in course of construction in 1933 and 289 in 1921.

III.—FINANCE.

No. 5.—State Revenue, July, 1935, to June, 1936.

Particulars.	Nine months ended Mar., 1936.	April.	May.	June.	Particulars.	Nine months ended Mar., 1936.	April.	May.	June.
GOVERNMENTAL TAXATION.	£	£	£	£	PUBLIC UTILITIES.	£	£	£	£
Land Tax ...	62,869	19,800	23,462	11,550	Abrig. Cattle Stns.	3,951	37	Dr. 5	802
Income Tax ...	170,861	36,032	32,927	34,974	Bunbury Harb. Bd.	5,300	500	1,500	1,200
Dividend Duty ...	266,137	56,583	21,193	17,455	Fmtle. Harb. Trust	166,028	19,670	19,670	25,938
Totalisor Tax ...	45,169	5,374	6,140	3,209	Goldf. Wt. Supply	159,135	24,091	21,284	35,951
Stamp Duty ...	200,065	20,515	19,774	20,837	Kalgoorlie Abattoirs	4,584	281	561	577
Probate Duty ...	95,373	6,081	5,839	5,364	Met. Ab'toars and Saleyards ...	37,860	4,682	4,230	5,488
Amusement Tax ...	66,253	7,954	7,824	7,216	Met. Water Supply and Sewerage ...	321,427	20,190	18,742	16,248
Financial Emergency Tax ...	576,126	84,347	86,188	80,458	Other Hydraulic Undertakings ...	46,637	4,874	4,693	5,551
Licenses ...	77,662	1,501	2,035	653	Perth City Markets	689	59	55	63
Taxation—Other ...	...	...	...	...	Railways ...	2,572,419	310,192	279,424	262,459
Total ...	1,560,515	238,187	205,382	181,716	Tramways ...	215,536	24,430	22,765	24,373
TERRITORIAL.					Electricity Supply ...	257,054	32,875	28,650	29,846
Land ...	189,388	6,151	6,628	4,664	State Ferries ...	6,402	804	706	602
Mining ...	29,533	4,281	3,614	4,814	State Batteries ...	91,437	12,629	11,457	10,775
Timber ...	97,948	10,945	10,486	14,939	Cave Houses, etc. ...	4,803	636	323	108
Total ...	316,869	21,377	20,728	24,417	Metro. Markets ...	...	...	...	...
COMMONWEALTH.					STATE TRADING CONCERNs.				
Law Courts ...	46,438	6,200	6,478	6,125	Balance transferred Recoup of Dep'mtl Charges, Interest, etc. ...	2,500	...	...	3,500
Dept'l. Reimbursements, Fees, etc.	517,295	45,839	31,636	243,605	Total ...	11,896	459	68	22,190
Royal Mint ...	21,274	1,600	1,600	4,147					
States Grants Act ...	626,250	69,583	69,583	69,584					
Interest Contributions ...	355,077	39,453	39,453	39,449	GRAND TOTAL ...	7,351,376	878,648	788,983	1,014,713
Total (Commonwealth) ...	981,327	109,036	109,036	109,033					
Total (Governmental) ...	3,443,718	422,239	374,860	569,043					£2,682,344

No. 6.—State Expenditure, July, 1935, to June, 1936.

Particulars.	9 months ended Mar., 1936.	April.	May.	June.	Particulars.	9 months ended Mar., 1936.	April.	May.	June.
<i>Establishments.</i>					<i>Special Acts.</i>				
H.E. the Governor	£ 1,747	198	236	158	Constitution Acts...	£ 11,388	1,433	1,433	1,433
Legislative Council	1,335	110	102	182	Loan Acts	2,692,689	296,546	299,247	279,150
Legislative Assembly	1,935	206	208	285	Aborigines	10,000	...	...	...
House Committee ...	3,358	260	288	291	Annuities	156	21	21	21
Printing Committee	3,312	360	360	520	Auditor General ...	648	83	83	89
Library Committee	237	6	6	10	Com. of Railways...	1,304	167	167	167
Total	11,924	1,140	1,200	1,446	Com'wlth Pensions	510	...	...	5,000
<i>Departments.</i>					Court of Arbitration	2,467	308	308	308
Premier's Office ...	17,767	Cr. 666	1,514	2,010	Dairy Cattle	212	...	...	51
London Agency ...	6,790	777	786	1,803	Fire Brigades Act...	10,760	3,556	...	...
P.S. Commissioner	997	145	159	270	Forests Act (Con- servator)	718	90	132	98
Motor Cars ...	2,648	10	181	Cr. 602	Forests Act	31,518	2,703	2,727	5,050
Printing	39,832	4,182	4,504	5,046	Parliamentary Al- lowances	33,822	4,003	4,010	4,033
Tourist and Pub- licity	1,489	173	152	298	Pensions and Retir- ing Allowances...	80,062	9,133	9,443	10,367
Literary and Sci- entific	7,839	1,286	999	1,024	Pensions — State Savings Bank	...	...	...	...
Fisheries	2,953	369	327	509	Transfer Act ...	1,655	...	...	1,845
Treasury	18,052	1,484	1,659	2,585	P.S. Commissioner	811	95	96	136
Audit	9,017	932	1,014	1,457	Royal Mint ...	15,590	1,600	1,600	1,600
Allowances	2,635	295	1,014	2,767	Stipendiary Magis- trates	5,762	656	654	927
Stores	10,285	1,170	1,060	1,224	Tramways Purchase	...	...	...	...
Taxation	25,192	2,852	2,750	3,100	Act ...	3,000	...	...	3,000
Miscellaneous ...	424,977	43,017	32,329	105,616	University of W.A.	22,387	3,038	3,038	3,038
Forests	16,472	1,753	1,713	2,351	Mine Workers' Re- lief Fund	...	...	...	...
Works and Buildings	47,618	26,506	9,670	4,725	North Aust. Survey	11,081	...	...	3,778
Labour	3,445	393	377	592	Agreement Act	1935	...	...	3,890
Arbitration Court ...	2,896	290	302	661	Scession Appeal Ex- penses	7,376	1,953	...	...
Crown Law, etc. ...	55,735	5,704	6,752	7,746	...	2,111	...	...	...
Licensing	2,147	228	258	303	Total	2,943,916	327,496	322,959	323,981
Education	480,585	57,299	57,258	70,143	<i>Public Utilities.</i>				
Chief Secretary ...	10,759	1,185	1,110	1,512	Aborigines	...	...	...	...
Aborigines	8,751	1,910	1,639	1,784	Cattle	4,901	582	709	710
Friendly Societies and Registry ...	6,783	1,449	1,055	1,072	Stations	...	...	...	...
Gaols	20,121	1,821	1,941	2,791	Goldfields	Water Supply	83,305	8,096	8,809
Harbour and Light and Jetties ...	16,503	1,898	2,010	2,547	Kalgoorlie Abattoirs	2,505	259	365	455
Lunacy, etc. ...	74,114	9,915	7,924	9,295	Metropr. Abattoirs	...	...	...	...
Observatory ...	1,262	127	129	190	and Saledaries	22,350	1,802	4,270	1,810
Mines	96,804	9,551	9,242	30,123	Metropolitan Water Supply, etc.	70,093	7,896	7,681	13,533
Medical	25,912	2,925	2,457	3,530	Other Hydraulic Undertakings	34,291	4,644	6,153	6,004
Health	26,365	2,322	2,714	2,869	Perth City Markets	523	38	58	59
Lands and Surveys	38,222	3,993	3,949	4,929	Railways	1,872,012	203,341	217,393	205,665
Immigration ... ...	...	...	...	...	Tramways	154,837	16,445	16,815	16,296
Town Planning ...	1,016	102	108	148	Electricity Supply	177,832	21,244	20,596	22,181
Farmers' Debts ...	1,974	340	368	571	State Ferries	...	...	...	...
Rural Relief ...	199	203	99	190	State Batteries	6,015	632	580	769
Agriculture	56,530	6,176	6,826	9,452	Cave Houses, etc...	85,078	8,768	8,940	10,857
College of Agriculture	6,025	635	859	751	...	3,966	795	519	479
Police	169,632	16,890	17,442	24,430	Total	2,517,708	274,542	292,888	293,018
Child Welfare and Outdoor Relief ...	86,912	8,937	9,592	13,061	GRAND TOTAL ...	7,358,797	827,302	816,301	942,943
Unemployment Relief and Labour Bureau	53,658	5,173	4,600	5,164					
Council of Industrial Development ...	1,167	117	124	165					
Agricultural Bank...	3,169	256	270	Cr. 3,704					
Total	1,885,249	224,124	199,254	324,498					£2,586,546

No. 7.—Net Loan Expenditure on Public Works, etc., from 1872.

(Table constructed on the basis of the figures published by the Treasury under the heading, "Actual Cash Spent.")

Period.	Railways, Tramways, and Electric Power Station.	Harbours, Rivers, and Light-houses, etc.	Roads and Bridges.	Public Buildings.	Water Supply and Sewerage, etc.	Development of Goldfields and Mineral Resources	Development of Agriculture. (a)	Immigration.	Miscellaneous. (b)	Total.
To 30th June, 1931	£ 25,905,147	£ 5,795,816	£ 1,975,666	£ 1,565,242	£ 9,444,134	£ 2,476,229	£ 27,204,130	£ 502,980	£ 3,846,426	£ 78,805,770
1931	474,988	133,567	...	Cr. 41	209,964	27,633	823,752	1,061	4,091	1,675,015
1932	140,706	77,490	...		500,151	22,886	524,639	500	1,493	1,267,865
1933	187,014	242,279	83,004	34,628	753,374	27,386	687,320	461	110,765	2,126,231
1934	329,440	246,068	123,814	98,009	803,201	70,878	858,951	132	32,594	2,563,087
1935	498,344	304,941	185,973	106,399	1,077,273	55,424	349,542	80	55,701	2,633,677
1936	397,405	300,955	132,783	84,422	1,242,882	28,916	166,023	80	2,795	2,356,261
Total	27,545,056	6,987,549	2,501,240	1,888,700	13,821,015	2,681,719	29,790,605	504,233	4,049,774	89,752,891
(a) Including Agricultural Bank, Land Settlement for Soldiers, and Agricultural Group Settlement. (b) Including the following State Businesses: Undertakings: Steamships, Ferries, Milk Supply, Saw Mills, Brickyards, Implement Works, Hotels, Workers' Homes, Quarries, Fish Supply, Freezing Works, etc.; also pre-Federation expenditure on Electric Telegraphs, £332,293.										
										† Including £78,007 discount and flotation expenses.

No. 8.—Summary of State Revenue, 1st July, 1926, to 30th June, 1936.

Period.	Collected by the State.					From Commonwealth Funds.	Total State Revenue.	Mean Population.	Revenue Per head of Population.				
	Taxation.	Land, Timber, and Mining.	Business Concerns.		Other Sources.								
			Railways and Tramways.	Other.									
1926-27 ...	£ 1,211,343	£ 550,912	£ 3,869,300	£ 1,268,666	£ 1,697,480	£ 1,153,132	£ 9,750,833	No. 385,780	£ 25.276				
1931-32 ...	1,006,915	292,623	3,183,977	1,321,568	1,456,801	773,432	8,035,316	433,596	18.532				
1932-33 ...	1,128,514	279,151	3,203,019	1,328,971	1,419,066	973,432	8,832,153	436,798	19.076				
1933-34 ...	1,368,720	312,818	3,185,594	1,366,570	1,194,563	1,073,432	8,481,697	440,363	19.261				
1934-35 ...	1,902,086	406,241	3,562,357	1,392,252	862,062	1,206,432	9,331,430	443,160	21.057				
1935-36 ...	2,185,800	383,391	3,711,598	1,512,263	932,237	1,308,432	10,033,721	447,892	22.402				

No. 9.—Summary of State Expenditure, from 1st July, 1926, to 30th June, 1936.

Period.	Interest and Sinking Funds, Public Debt.	Lands, Surveys, Forests, and Mines.	Business Concerns.		Education.	All other.	Total State Expenditure.	Per head of Population.	
			Railways and Tramways.	Other.					
				£					
1926-27	3,295,038	268,524	2,929,485	559,750	668,561	2,001,221	9,722,588	25.202
1931-32	3,507,379	187,091	2,344,936	525,147	574,235	2,454,424	9,593,212	22.125
1932-33	3,504,390	167,076	2,318,522	529,332	578,726	2,098,188	9,196,234	21.054
1933-34	3,547,749	198,766	2,369,283	573,048	601,096	1,980,667	9,270,609	21.052
1934-35	3,549,867	223,182	2,556,117	646,830	612,703	1,909,826	9,498,525	21.434
1935-36	3,567,632	262,138	2,711,804	675,352	665,285	2,066,132	9,945,343	22.205

No. 10.—Public Debt, 1927 to 1936; also Indebtedness per head of Estimated Population.

Date.	Amount outstanding.				Average nominal interest payable.	Accrued Sinking Fund on 30th June	Net Indebtedness (Approximate).	
	Debentures.	Inscribed Stock.	Treasury Bills and Bonds, etc.	Total.			Amount.	Per head of Population.
				£				
30th June— 1927 ...	6,439,915	52,059,218	12,107,042	70,606,175	4.52	†8,756,936	61,849,239	157.733
1932 ...	11,014,758	56,375,324	12,317,871	79,707,953	4.11	1,308,906	78,399,047	180.182
1933 ...	10,992,154	58,656,125	13,866,419	83,514,698	3.90	1,346,549	82,183,149	187.234
1934 ...	10,980,195	61,031,297	13,836,310	85,847,802	3.81	371,412	85,476,390	193.374
1935 ...	3,031,414	78,776,293	6,782,469	88,590,176	3.77	523,815	88,066,361	197.595
1936 ...	2,098,014	79,751,635	7,594,406	90,344,055	3.67	569,184	89,774,871	199.577

† As on 31st March.

No. 11.—Transactions of Commonwealth Savings Bank in Western Australia from 1st July, 1925.
(Note.—State Savings Bank taken over by Commonwealth from 1st November, 1931.)

Period.	* Amount deposited during period.	* Amount withdrawn during period.	Excess of Deposits over Withdrawals.	Interest.	Number of Accounts.		Due to Depositors at end of period.	Average to credit of each account.	Average per head of population.	
					Opened.	Closed.				
1925-26 ...	£ 2,522,246	£ 2,319,268	£ 202,978	£ 77,478	No. 12,441	No. 7,198	No. 77,982	£ 2,541,829	£ 32.595	£ 6.670
1930-31 ...	2,451,230	2,973,161	†521,931	107,556	11,229	11,724	100,906	2,788,373	27.633	6.452
1931-32 ...	5,916,921	5,961,165	†44,244	274,136	29,620	26,538	206,997	10,217,739	49.362	23.483
1932-33 ...	7,447,503	7,747,633	†300,130	265,187	34,356	47,258	104,095	10,064,464	51.853	22.934
1933-34 ...	8,182,395	7,988,122	194,273	236,120	35,744	36,924	192,915	10,398,972	53.904	23.526
1934-35 ...	8,967,577	8,501,441	466,186	206,776	42,560	37,864	197,611	10,929,010	55.306	24.521
Sept. Qr., 1935	2,416,999	2,161,652	255,347	†509	11,114	13,535	195,190	11,169,606	57.224	25.002
Dec. Qr., 1935	2,445,410	2,304,167	141,243	†1,671	9,116	11,279	199,027	11,286,010	56.705	25.206
Mar. Qr., 1936	2,359,909	2,287,000	72,909	†3,021	11,659	5,801	204,885	11,307,393	55.188	25.185

* Exclusive of transfers from and to other States of the Commonwealth. † Interest on accounts closed during period. ‡ Excess of withdrawals over deposits.

No. 12.—Transactions of the State Savings Bank from 1925.

Period.	Amount deposited.	Amount withdrawn.	Interest.	Number of Accounts			Due to Depositors.	Average per Account.	*Average per head o' population.
				Opened.	Closed.	Remaining open.			
1925-26	£ 6,312,143	£ 6,061,332	£ 250,811	No. 22,587	No. 15,132	No. 167,063	£ 6,346,713	£ 37.990	£ 16.867
1930-31	£ 7,184,793	£ 7,904,558	£ 317,402	No. 24,009	No. 20,544	No. 213,067	£ 7,992,329	£ 37.511	£ 18.690
4 months ended 31st October, 1931 a	£ 1,948,076	£ 2,773,152	£ 78,779	No. 5,410	No. 8,571	No. 209,906	£ 7,246,032	£ 34.520	£ 16.909

† SCHOOLS SAVINGS BANK.

1925-26	£ 37,509	£ 36,415	£ 1,094	5,980	4,026	47,303	£ 81,282	£ 1.718	** £ 1.572
1930-31	£ 32,875	£ 42,579	£ 2,751	4,801	3,774	57,639	£ 86,720	£ 1.503	** £ 1.527
4 months ended 31st October, 1931 a	£ 9,936	£ 13,983	£ 672	1,188	1,436	57,441	£ 83,345	£ 1.451	** £ 1.443

* Including Schools Savings Bank Deposits.

† Worked in connection with State Savings Bank. ** Per head of number of school children on the Roll.

a Subsequently taken over by the Commonwealth Bank.

No. 13.—Averages from 1926 of the Weekly Statements of Liabilities and Assets of the Cheque-paying Banks (formerly Banks of Issue) operating in Western Australia.

Weekly average clearance, Perth Banks, during the quarter ended June, 1936, was £1,745,155 as compared with £1,767,288 during June quarter of 1935.

Period.	No. of Banks.	Liabilities.						Total Average Liabilities	
		Notes in Circulation.	Bills in Circulation.	Balances due to other Banks.	Deposits.				
					Not bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.	Total.		
1926	12	£ 25,278	£ 161,844	£ 558,707	£ 6,408,958	£ 8,019,494	£ 14,428,452	£ 15,174,281	
1931	10	£ 25,183	£ 152,164	£ 1,711,250	£ 5,274,973	£ 7,747,107	£ 13,022,080	£ 14,910,677	
1932	8†	£ 24,917	£ 136,556	£ 1,528,521	£ 5,818,066	£ 8,881,736	£ 14,699,802	£ 16,339,796	
1933	8	£ 23,405	£ 140,414	£ 1,441,967	£ 5,755,447	£ 9,757,720	£ 15,513,167	£ 17,118,953	
1934	8	£ 22,173	£ 170,973	£ 1,248,363	£ 6,931,997	£ 10,555,632	£ 17,487,629	£ 18,929,138	
1935	8	£ 21,186	£ 190,816	£ 827,323	£ 7,381,612	£ 11,407,447	£ 18,789,059	£ 19,828,384	
1936, First Quarter ...	8	£ 20,649	£ 226,634	£ 857,119	£ 8,234,450	£ 11,837,732	£ 20,072,182	£ 21,176,584	
1936, Second Quarter ...	8	£ 20,649	£ 187,545	£ 788,165	£ 7,440,325	£ 11,937,813	£ 19,428,138	£ 20,424,497	

Period.	Assets.								Total Average Assets	
	Colined Gold, Silver, and other Metals.	Gold and Bullion and Bars.	Govern-ment, Municipal, and Public Securities. b	Landed Property and Bank Premises.	Australian Notes.*	Notes and Bills of other Banks.	Balances due from other Banks.	Notes and Bills dis-counted, and other Debts.		
1926 ...	£ 2,362,399	£ 138,195	£ 968,610	£ 416,460	£ 2,135,193	£ 225,979	£ 290,957	£ 13,813,918	£ 20,357,720	
1931 ...	£ 206,897	£ 164,646	£ 2,180,752	£ 686,933	£ 3,266,633	£ 71,506	£ 110,712	£ 20,466,998	£ 27,155,127	
1932 ...	£ 201,763	£ 213,712	£ 2,223,763	£ 727,389	£ 3,267,797	£ 65,080	£ 104,726	£ 19,030,609	£ 25,839,844	
1933 ...	£ 215,048	£ 202,581	£ 3,046,580	£ 756,170	£ 2,925,395	£ 66,202	£ 23,277	£ 19,337,071	£ 26,577,324	
1934 ...	£ 189,306	£ 248,013	£ 3,055,253	£ 751,137	£ 2,653,334	£ 80,779	£ 23,105	£ 19,807,189	£ 26,814,116	
1935 ...	£ 175,866	£ 298,622	£ 3,734,378	£ 734,744	£ 2,133,345	£ 89,369	£ 33,188	£ 21,106,694	£ 28,306,206	
1936, 1st Qr.	£ 196,825	£ 333,021	£ 3,681,698	£ 696,522	£ 2,237,047	£ 111,709	£ 42,306	£ 21,332,322	£ 28,631,450	
1936, 2nd Qr.	£ 185,950	£ 462,549	£ 3,733,139	£ 696,428	£ 2,154,939	£ 104,816	£ 38,494	£ 21,937,119	£ 29,313,434	

* Including cash with Commonwealth Bank.

† The Australian Bank of Commerce, Limited, was amalgamated with the Bank of New South Wales on the 28th December, 1931, and the Primary Producers' Bank of Australia, Ltd., went into liquidation on the 28th September, 1931. b Includes Short Term Loans for the year 1931, £865,154; 1932, £318,256; 1933, £593,796; 1934, £317,285; and for the first quarter, 1936, £9,231, second quarter £63,334.

IV.—SHIPPING.

No. 14.—Number and Net Tonnage of Vessels (including Vessels trading only within the State and Vessels calling at more than one Port) entered and cleared at each Western Australian Port during the nine months ended 31st March, 1936.

ENTERED.

Ports.	Oversea.				Inter-State.				Local Vessels trading within the State.		Total.	
	Via Ports within the State.		From Ports outside the State.		Via Ports within the State.		From Ports outside the State.					
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.		
Fremantle ...	25	57,281	244	1,391,276	32	133,757	200	1,171,923	45	69,563	546	2,823,800
Albany ...	5	18,877	5	1,440	43	173,587	28	49,550	77	242,454		
Broome ...	6	10,112	8	14,084	3	6,843	... ...	30	59,961	47	91,000	
Bunbury ...	10	29,520	12	40,674	11	26,163	12	44,828	30	50,833	75	192,018
Busselton ...	...	...	...	...	1	2,613	1	3,126	31	49,720	33	55,459
Carnarvon ...	18	32,562	6	14,630	4	9,124	...	...	65	106,481	93	162,806
Cossack ...	16	27,942	...	...	5	11,405	...	...	36	66,579	57	105,926
Derby ...	1	1,218	7	13,818	4	9,124	...	...	20	43,481	32	67,641
Esperance ...	...	...	...	...	1	440	9	3,960	10	4,400		
Geraldton ...	14	33,659	11	31,174	4	8,956	1	3,165	57	99,266	87	176,220
Onslow ...	17	31,084	1	1,322	4	9,124	...	...	44	80,035	66	121,565
Port Hedland ...	12	22,160	...	...	5	11,405	...	...	45	74,064	62	107,629
Wyndham ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	42,545	7	14,904	17	57,449

CLEARED.

Ports.	Oversea.				Inter-State.				Local Vessels trading within the State.		Total.	
	Via Ports within the State.		For Ports outside the State.		Via Ports within the State.		For Ports outside the State.					
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.		
Fremantle ...	30	61,960	226	1,288,400	34	86,071	200	1,273,984	55	97,685	545	2,808,100
Albany ...	5	22,977	21	77,248	5	19,894	12	43,573	33	73,810	76	237,502
Broome ...	8	14,196	2	3,122	5	11,405	1	17	32	62,277	48	91,017
Bunbury ...	6	24,336	29	97,178	15	25,680	11	27,788	13	15,444	74	190,426
Busselton ...	4	10,581	2	7,193	10	18,885	7	12,146	9	4,967	32	53,772
Carnarvon ...	19	38,252	5	9,431	6	13,686	...	...	63	101,437	93	162,806
Cossack ...	12	21,162	1	2,706	6	12,623	...	...	35	69,297	54	105,788
Derby ...	2	2,436	6	11,760	5	11,405	...	...	19	41,879	32	67,480
Esperance ...	...	...	...	...	1	440	9	3,960	10	4,400		
Geraldton ...	28	61,656	10	25,016	6	13,674	2	4,554	40	68,783	86	173,683
Onslow ...	12	22,670	2	4,826	6	13,686	...	...	49	80,536	69	121,718
Port Hedland ...	9	16,100	4	8,592	6	13,686	...	...	41	65,815	60	104,193
Wyndham ...	...	...	8	38,843	...	...	4	9,124	6	13,686	18	61,653

No. 15.—Number and Net Tonnage of Vessels entered and cleared at Western Australian Ports, from and to Ports outside the State, during the undermentioned Periods.

Year.	Inwards.				Outwards.				Inwards and Outwards.			
	Vessels.		Tons.		Vessels.		Tons.					
	Vessels.	Tons.	Vessels.	Tons.	Vessels.	Tons.	Vessels.	Tons.	Vessels.	Tons.		
1925-26 ...	684	3,268,883	685	3,256,132	1,369	6,525,015						
1930-31 ...	741	3,687,357	742	3,686,229	1,483	7,373,586						
1931-32 ...	698	3,555,403	694	3,530,279	1,392	7,085,682						
1932-33 ...	687	3,549,604	691	3,563,679	1,378	7,113,233						
1933-34 ...	683	3,564,705	683	3,567,884	1,366	7,132,589						
1934-35 ...	724	3,757,174	730	3,775,162	1,454	7,532,336						
Nine months ended 31st March, 1936 ...	562	2,965,478	554	2,945,941	1,116	5,911,419						

V.—CUSTOMS AND EXCISE COLLECTIONS.

No. 16.—Gross Customs, Excise, and other Collections in Western Australia during the undermentioned Periods.

Stations.	Year ended 30th June, 1935.				Year ended 30th June, 1936.					
	Customs.		Excise.		Other.		Total.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£		
Fremantle ...	1,357,989	854,910	112,672	2,325,571	1,593,707	904,959	122,415	2,621,081		
Perth ...	1,912	41	601	2,554	1,028	...	689	1,717		
Broome ...	2,981	...	245	3,226	3,324	...	279	3,603		
Bunbury ...	1,239	...	2,711	3,950	2,090	...	1,807	3,897		
Busselton ...	...	...	...	...	5	...	4	9	
Carnarvon ...	3,629	14	150	3,793	4,411	10	168	4,589		
Cossack ...	1,583	4	262	1,849	1,380	51	118	1,549		
Derby ...	406	...	31	437	681	...	38	719		
Esperance ...	...	...	119	119	...	...	132	132	
Geraldton ...	8,000	12,614	3,306	23,920	7,114	10,050	1,829	18,993		
Onslow ...	1,781	149	138	2,068	1,618	76	69	1,763		
Port Hedland ...	2,423	102	162	2,687	2,881	...	53	2,934		
Wyndham ...	839	...	2	841	1,311	...	6	1,317		
Total ...	1,382,782	867,834	120,399	2,371,015	1,619,550	915,146	127,607	2,662,303		

VI.—TRADE.

Note.—Imports from Overseas are recorded in Sterling; other Imports and all Exports are recorded in Australian Currency.

No. 17.—Value of Imports into Western Australia during the undermentioned periods, showing origin, and value per head of mean population.

Country of Origin.	1926-27.	1931-32.	1932-33.	1933-34.	1934-35.	1935-36.
United Kingdom ...	£ 4,265,675	£ 1,176,321	£ 1,544,095	£ 1,651,081	£ 2,151,594	£ *
Other States of Commonwealth ...	8,053,194	7,532,960	8,020,930	8,902,648	9,527,810	10,578,990
New Zealand ...	28,378	15,252	9,760	9,957	24,524	*
Other British Possessions ...	1,662,605	652,631	893,455	689,527	740,817	*
Total, British ...	14,009,852	9,377,164	10,468,240	11,253,213	12,444,745	*
Foreign Countries ...	4,366,211	1,278,657	1,718,520	1,579,304	1,781,660	*
Grand Total in Recorded Values	18,376,063	10,655,821	12,186,760	12,832,517	14,226,405	16,108,048
Grand Total, estimated in terms of Australian Currency ...	18,376,063	11,389,900	13,140,922	13,721,407	15,246,718	17,377,508
Value† of Imports per head of Mean Population ...	47.634	26.268	30.085	31.159	34.405	38.798

* Not yet available.

† Australian Currency.

No. 18.—Value of Exports from Western Australia during the undermentioned periods, showing destination and value per head of mean population.

Exports to.	1926-27.	1931-32.	1932-33.	1933-34.	1934-35.	1935-36.
United Kingdom ...	£ 4,514,965	£ 9,951,401	£ 9,814,497	£ 12,066,962	£ 11,427,149	£ *
Other States of Commonwealth ...	1,405,086	913,191	957,899	1,213,572	1,324,798	1,496,069
New Zealand ...	135,215	38,604	2,795	12,758	22,870	*
Other British Possessions ...	2,873,728	699,157	652,015	523,799	642,433	*
Total, British ...	8,928,994	11,602,353	11,427,206	13,817,091	13,417,250	*
Foreign Countries ...	5,544,014	4,127,258	3,549,146	2,962,501	2,908,669	547,336
Ships' Stores ...	678,951	566,475	561,060	511,985	553,249	
Grand Total ...	15,151,959	16,296,086	15,537,412	17,291,577	16,879,168	18,544,286
Value of Exports per head of Mean Population ...	£ 30.276	37.584	35.571	39.267	38.088	41.403

* Not yet available.

No. 19.—Total Value of Imports into, and Exports from, the State of Western Australia, from and to the other States of the Commonwealth during the undermentioned periods.

Origin.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Tasmania.	Northern Territory.	Total.
IMPORTS—YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1935.							
Australian ...	£ 3,439,428	£ 4,483,678	£ 530,837	£ 838,627	£ 192,978	£ 42,262	£ 9,527,810
Overseas ...	117,252	463,062	1,890	34,791	20	329	617,344
Total ...	3,556,680	4,946,740	532,727	873,418	192,998	42,591	10,145,154
EXPORTS*—YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1935.							
Western Australian ...	210,235	333,187	19,509	314,698	10,356	4,070	892,355
Other Australian ...	70,941	127,486	5,657	40,164	2,411	12,046	258,705
Overseas ...	56,757	62,966	19,943	30,751	365	2,956	173,738
Total ...	337,933	523,639	45,409	385,613	13,132	19,072	1,324,798
IMPORTS—YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1936.							
Australian ...	£ 3,760,878	£ 4,944,251	£ 562,496	£ 1,052,845	£ 203,749	£ 54,771	£ 10,578,990
Overseas ...	151,355	250,200	5,903	43,012	192	554	451,216
Total ...	3,912,233	5,194,451	568,399	1,095,857	203,941	55,325	11,030,206
EXPORTS*—YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1936.							
Western Australian ...	318,984	448,888	16,778	304,592	16,141	4,436	1,109,819
Other Australian ...	60,736	127,195	29,055	43,359	1,410	8,838	270,593
Overseas ...	28,031	48,249	4,838	31,636	1,013	1,890	115,657
Total ...	407,751	624,332	50,671	379,587	18,564	15,164	1,496,069

* Exclusive of Ships' Stores.

No. 20.—Value, according to Classes, of Imports into Western Australia for each of the five Years ended 30th June, 1932 to 1936.

Class No.	Name of Class.	1931-32.	1932-33.	1933-34.	1934-35.	1935-36.
I.	Foodstuffs of Animal Origin ...	£ 682,134	£ 569,885	£ 568,425	£ 534,507	£ 668,484
II.	Foodstuffs of Vegetable Origin ...	1,391,247	1,328,353	1,361,381	1,467,995	1,525,369
III.	Spirituos and Alcoholic Liquors ...	24,4316	309,661	317,028	331,687	340,731
IV.	Tobacco and Preparations thereof ...	709,758	609,638	735,187	774,179	840,887
V.	Live Animals ...	146,482	187,436	181,318	168,272	158,311
VI.	Animal Substances not Foodstuffs ...	12,136	13,977	15,470	18,229	25,451
VII.	Vegetable Substances and Fibres ...	92,757	91,337	95,734	104,279	116,921
VIII.a	Apparel ...	1,438,806	1,560,253	1,629,023	1,782,803	1,818,144
VIII.b	Textiles ...	757,906	858,932	806,718	872,176	852,304
VIII.c	Manufactured Fibres ...	477,004	555,946	362,609	265,682	295,861
IX.	Oils, Fats and Waxes ...	569,378	743,537	649,768	669,909	778,420
X.	Paints and Varnishes ...	79,418	88,309	103,931	117,015	133,030
XI.	Stones and Minerals (including Ores and Concentrates) ...	154,468	126,602	136,190	103,006	108,486
XII.a	Machines and Machinery ...	657,618	1,003,515	1,162,824	1,492,309	2,017,971
XII.b	Metals and Metal Manufactures ...	772,187	1,232,337	1,804,878	2,470,459	2,880,740
XIII.a	Rubber and Rubber Manufactures ...	330,933	323,880	365,416	329,730	344,273
XIII.b	Leather and Manufactures of Leather ...	78,623	69,928	82,078	82,413	92,668
XIV.	Wood and Wicker—Raw and Manufactured ...	182,693	199,639	185,670	213,161	232,449
XV.	Earthenware, Cements, China, Glass and Stoneware ...	96,273	141,054	150,773	196,277	224,436
XVI.a	Paper ...	151,059	190,478	179,508	194,742	215,067
XVI.b	Stationery and Paper Manufactures ...	225,353	245,454	264,515	265,254	278,449
XVII.	Jewellery, Timepieces and Fancy Goods ...	111,781	126,924	124,233	139,748	175,431
XVIII.	Optical, Surgical and Scientific Instruments ...	75,638	75,741	85,736	74,665	86,965
XIX.	Drugs, Chemicals and Fertilisers ...	644,887	946,377	783,418	797,605	983,881
XX.	Miscellaneous ...	544,098	584,569	680,664	760,303	911,568
XXI.	Gold, Silver and Bronze Specie ...	408	...	22	...	1,751
	Total, Imports ...	10,655,821	12,186,760	12,832,517	14,226,405	16,108,048

No. 21.—Value of the more important Products of Western Australian Origin exported, including Ships' Stores, and of the total Exports; also the total Production of Coal; during 1926-27 and each of the Five Years ended 30th June, 1932 to 1936.

Article.	1926-27.	1931-32.	1932-33.	1933-34.	1934-35.	1935-36.
Butter ...	{ Quantity ... lb. Value ... £	1,232 124	1,455,042 89,199	2,297,431 139,917	2,220,130 98,435	2,316,638 75,111
Eggs in Shell ...	{ Quantity ... doz. Value ... £	186,025 14,892	746,070 37,026	1,537,035 81,947	1,792,212 93,064	1,913,545 95,149
Beef ...	{ Quantity ... lb. Value ... £	6,697,052 99,025	11,239,948 117,649	14,406,036 138,141	12,602,428 117,189	12,072,230 116,327
Mutton and Lamb ...	{ Quantity ... lb. Value ... £	...	2,118,217 51,315	383,855 7,271	1,352,172 24,428	4,978,521 118,228
Meat in tins ...	{ Quantity ... lb. Value ... £	446,231 11,268	270,704 4,059	...	5,346	...
Fruit, fresh ...	{ Quantity ... Cental. Value ... £	244,901 334,272	349,900 430,738	255,832 332,273	300,269 369,515	401,882 448,058
Wheat ...	{ Quantity ... Cental. Value ... £	9,797,801 4,667,095	22,120,610 5,323,740	18,416,832 4,661,276	14,015,950 3,417,230	14,961,383 3,021,897
Flour ...	{ Quantity ... Cental. Value ... £	1,886,580 1,161,324	1,772,629 580,729	1,728,671 554,519	1,296,604 392,269	1,723,193 564,945
Wool ...	{ Greasy ... Value ... £	52,130,709 3,447,220	64,591,198 2,269,826	68,191,868 2,435,668	69,997,609 4,565,408	80,550,382 3,239,585
Scoured ...	{ Quantity ... lb. Value ... £	1,656,846 171,093	1,965,598 75,744	2,695,264 117,924	2,728,112 245,438	3,451,156 174,004
Hides and Skins ...	...	376,004	197,559	239,928	385,165	319,799
Pearls and Shell ...	...	255,751	103,884	150,252	109,067	100,616
Tanning Bark ...	...	15,818	42,016	33,352	20,904	15,284
Sandalwood ...	...	199,754	40,546	88,846	75,424	66,474
Tin, Dressed and Ingot ...	...	13,087	3,079	3,407	5,543	8,454
Timber ...	...	1,655,692	357,953	258,510	484,241	631,228
Gold-Specie ...	...	735,663	1,248,313	40,272	...	...
Gold, Uncolored ...	...	367,420	3,673,297	4,694,097	5,326,885	5,160,409
Silver-Bar, Ingots, etc. ...	...	6,840	4,041	8,175	8,676	8,839
All other Articles ...	...	1,718,708	1,644,473	1,545,637	1,552,306	1,814,761
Total Exports ...	£	15,151,059	16,296,086	15,537,412	17,291,577	16,879,168
Collie Coal ...	{ Mined ... Value ... £ Bunkered (a) ...	Tons 492,134 405,770 49,761	399,030 281,174 9,763	453,280 292,285 11,990	456,539 269,302 8,445	518,189 297,581 9,513
						566,447 334,797 7,941

(a) Included in coal production.

No. 22.—Wool Exported from the several Western Australian Ports.

YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1935.

Ports.	Oversea.				Interstate.				Total.			
	Greasy.		Scoured.		Greasy.		Scoured.		Greasy.		Scoured.	
	bales.	lbs.	bales.	lbs.	bales.	lbs.	bales.	lbs.	bales.	lbs.	bales.	lbs.
Fremantle ...	217,669	69,848,727	14,581	3,402,694	6,604	2,394,293	148	43,102	224,273	72,243,020	14,729	3,445,796
Albany ...	936	291,023	...	...	...	...	7	1,271	936	291,023	7	1,271
Broome ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bunbury ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Carnarvon ...	7,609	2,938,682	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,609	2,938,682	...	...
Cossack ...	2,402	873,984	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,402	873,984	...	...
Derby ...	450	159,195	19	4,089	...	...	...	...	450	159,195	19	4,089
Geraldton ...	4,360	1,659,262	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,360	1,659,262	...	...
Onslow ...	1,067	378,430	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,067	378,430	...	...
Port Hedland ...	5,312	2,006,786	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,312	2,006,786	...	...
Total { Quantity ...	230,805	78,156,089	14,600	3,406,783	6,604	2,394,293	155	44,373	246,409	80,550,382	14,755	3,451,156
Total { Value ...	£	3,167,195	171,992	72,390	2,012	3,239,585					174,004	

YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1936.

Ports.	Oversea.				Interstate.				Total.			
	Greasy.		Scoured.		Greasy.		Scoured.		Greasy.		Scoured.	
	bales.	lbs.	bales.	lbs.	bales.	lbs.	bales.	lbs.	bales.	lbs.	bales.	lbs.
Fremantle ...	219,510	68,653,070	13,835	3,055,182	7,752	2,655,311	7	1,776	227,262	71,308,381	13,842	3,056,958
Albany ...	132	37,404	...	...	...	...	...	...	132	37,404	...	...
Broome ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bunbury ...	26	6,468	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	6,468	...	...
Carnarvon ...	5,880	2,144,373	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,880	2,144,373	...	...
Cossack ...	1,631	570,217	19	4,850	...	...	...	...	1,631	570,217	19	4,850
Derby ...	416	175,142	79	19,597	...	...	...	...	416	175,142	79	19,597
Geraldton ...	3,266	1,095,901	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,266	1,095,901	...	...
Onslow ...	202	74,966	...	...	...	...	...	...	202	74,966	...	...
Port Hedland ...	8,480	3,075,137	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,480	3,075,137	...	...
Total ... { Quantity ...	239,543	75,832,678	13,933	3,079,629	7,752	2,655,311	7	1,776	247,295	78,487,989	13,940	3,081,405
Total ... { Value ...	£	4,327,905	225,620	118,111	100	4,446,016					225,720	

No. 23.—Principal Exports,* Oversea and Interstate, during the Year ended
30th June, 1936.

A.—VALUES.

Article,	Oversea.	Interstate.	Total.
CLASS I.—FOODSTUFFS OF ANIMAL ORIGIN, EXCLUDING LIVING ANIMALS.	£	£	£
Butter	111,846	70	111,916
Eggs in Shell	92,390	12	92,402
Meats—			
Beef	160,323	...	160,323
Lamb and Mutton	141,230	...	141,230
Pork	32,313	...	32,313
Other Animal Foodstuffs	21,793	17,914	39,707
TOTAL, CLASS I.	559,895	17,996	577,891
CLASS II.—FOODSTUFFS OF VEGETABLE ORIGIN, NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, ETC.			
Confectionery	54	16,076	16,130
Fruits, Dried—Currants	51,035	27,128	78,163
Raisins	3,316	1,060	4,376
Fruits, Fresh—Apples	391,756	125	391,881
Other	60,138	45,825	105,963
Grain and Pulse—Unprepared—Wheat ...	2,803,196	162	2,803,358
Prepared—Flour (Wheaten) ...	484,936	963	485,899
Other Foodstuffs of Vegetable Origin, etc.	22,831	128,823	151,654
TOTAL, CLASS II.	3,817,262	220,162	4,037,424
CLASS III.—SPIRITUOUS AND ALCOHOLIC LIQUORS.			
Wine	1,848	550	2,398
Other	1,711	216	1,927
TOTAL, CLASS III.	3,559	766	4,325
CLASS IV.—TOBACCO AND PREPARATIONS THEREOF	...	...	79,000
CLASS V.—LIVE ANIMALS.			
Cattle	501	...	501
Horses	3,255	4,945	8,200
Sheep	23,346	365	23,711
Other Animals	1,149	1,693	2,842
TOTAL, CLASS V.	28,251	7,003	35,254
CLASS VI.—ANIMAL SUBSTANCES NOT FOODSTUFFS.			
Hides and Skins—Cattle (including Calf) ...	36,922	16,132	53,054
Furred Skins ...	22,931	130,858	153,789
Sheep Skins ...	316,130	6,630	322,760
Pearl-shell	106,948	...	106,948
Wool, Greasy	4,327,905	118,111	4,446,016
Wool, Scoured	225,620	100	225,720
Other Animal Substances	2,071	4,185	6,256
TOTAL, CLASS VI.	5,038,527	276,016	5,314,543
CLASS VII.—VEGETABLE SUBSTANCES AND FIBRES.			
Bark, Tanning	2,015	10,222	12,237
Sandalwood	44,916	...	44,916
Other Vegetable Substances	560	25,353	25,913
TOTAL, CLASS VII.	47,491	35,575	83,066
CLASS VIII.—(a) APPAREL, (b) TEXTILES, AND (c) MANUFACTURED FIBRES.			
(a) Apparel—Apparel and Attire	198	47,458	47,656
Boots, Shoes, and Slippers	50	7,913	7,963
TOTAL, CLASS VIII. (a)	248	55,371	55,619
(b) Textiles—Piece Goods, Woollen ...	...	18,125	18,125
Other Textiles	531	9,610	10,141
TOTAL, CLASS VIII. (b)	531	27,735	28,266
(c) Manufactured Fibres	46	17,482	17,528
CLASS IX.—OILS, FATS, AND WAXES.			
Tallow	12,135	3,316	15,451
Other Oils, Fats, and Waxes	678	1,978	2,656
TOTAL, CLASS IX.	12,813	5,294	18,107
CLASS X.—PAINTS AND VARNISHES	...	2	1,002
			1,004

* Exclusive of Ships' Stores.

No. 23.—Principal Exports,* Oversea and Interstate, during the Year ended
30th June, 1936—continued.

A—VALUES—continued.

Article.	Oversea.	Interstate	Total.
CLASS XI.—STONES AND MINERALS, INCLUDING ORES AND CONCENTRATES.	£	£	£
Concentrates—Silver and Silver-Lead ... ... ... ...	...	... 3,824	3,824
Ores—Gold Ore, Quartz, and Concentrates	4,500	29,259	33,759
Manganese ... ... ... ...	...	...	...
Silver and Silver-Lead	4,602	625	5,227
Tin	10,582	7,845	18,427
All other Ores, Clays, and Mineral Earths	19,684	41,553	61,237
TOTAL, CLASS XI.			
CLASS XII.—METALS, METAL MANUFACTURES, AND MACHINERY.			
(a) Machines and Machinery—			
Agricultural Implements and Machinery	3	21,004	21,007
Other	1,043	47,481	48,524
TOTAL, CLASS XII. (a)	1,046	68,485	69,531
(b) Metals and Metal Manufactures—			
Motor Cars and Parts	1,078	42,858	43,936
Other Metals and Manufactures	16,387	78,622	95,009
TOTAL, CLASS XII. (b)	17,465	121,480	138,945
CLASS XIII.—RUBBER AND LEATHER AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF.			
(a) Rubber and Manufactures thereof	27	6,357	6,384
(b) Leather and Manufactures thereof—			
Leather	4,788	40,794	45,582
Leather Manufactures	214	3,102	3,316
TOTAL, CLASS XIII. (b)	5,002	43,896	48,898
CLASS XIV.—WOOD AND WICKER, RAW AND MANUFACTURED.			
Timber	503,060	176,462	679,522
Other Wood, Wickerware, etc.	57	50,608	50,665
TOTAL, CLASS XIV.	503,117	227,070	730,187
CLASS XV.—EARTHENWARE, CEMENTS, CHINA, GLASS AND STONEWARE.			
China and Earthenware	13	1,900	1,913
Glassware, Cements, etc.	67	8,267	8,334
TOTAL, CLASS XV.	80	10,167	10,247
CLASS XVI.—PAPER AND STATIONERY.			
(a) Paper	489	31,636	32,125
(b) Stationery and Paper Manufactures	311	6,447	6,758
CLASS XVII.—JEWELLERY, TIMEPIECES, AND FANCY GOODS.			
Fancy Goods	86	8,495	8,581
Jewellery, including Pearls	7,846	32	7,578
Other	557	297	854
TOTAL, CLASS XVII.	8,489	8,824	17,313
CLASS XVIII.—OPTICAL, SURGICAL, AND SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS	202	10,401	10,603
CLASS XIX.—DRUGS, CHEMICALS, AND FERTILISERS.			
Arsenic	13,243	50,579	63,822
Oils, Essential	19,989	7,537	27,526
Other Drugs, Chemicals, etc.	223	12,330	12,559
TOTAL, CLASS XIX.	33,455	70,452	103,907
CLASS XX.—MISCELLANEOUS	33,818	105,890	139,708
CLASS XXI.—GOLD AND SILVER, AND BRONZE SPECIE.			
Gold—Specie ... ... ... ...	...	...	...
Bar, Dust, Ingot, Sheet	6,356,089	...	6,356,089
Silver—Specie	301	...	301
Bar, Ingot, and Sheet	12,681	...	12,681
Bronze—Specie ... ... ... ...	...	...	...
TOTAL, CLASS XXI.	6,369,071	...	6,369,071
GRAND TOTAL, EXPORTS †	16,500,881	1,496,069	17,996,950

No. 23.—Principal Exports,* Oversea and Interstate, during the Year ended
30th June, 1936—continued.

B.—QUANTITIES

Article.	Oversea.	Interstate.	Total.
Butter lb.	2,274,776	1,568	2,276,344
Eggs in Shell doz.	1,550,030	182	1,550,212
Beef lb.	17,036,178	... 5,557,094	17,036,178 5,557,094
Lamb and Mutton "	5,557,094	... 1,550,285	5,557,094 1,550,285
Pork "	1,550,285	... 1,208,598	1,550,285 1,208,598
Currants "	2,515,884	3,724,482	2,515,884
Raisins (all kinds) "	206,920	57,542	264,462
Apples cwt.	364,046	111	364,157
Wheat "	8,937,822	410	8,938,232
Flour "	1,334,893	1,824	1,336,717
Potatoes cwt.	1,530	164,604	166,134
Sheep Skins No.	1,207,567	40,377	1,247,944
Wool, Greasy lb.	75,832,678	2,655,311	78,487,989
Wool, Scoured "	3,079,629	1,776	3,081,405
Bark, Tanning cwt.	3,458	21,970	25,428
Sandalwood "	31,850	... 19,363	31,850 19,363
Pearlshell "	19,363	... 8,607	19,363 8,607
Tallow sup. ft.	8,607	3,678	12,285
Timber sup. ft.	49,720,697	17,457,471	67,178,168

* Exclusive of Ships' Stores.

No. 24.—Exports, being Ships' Stores, during the Year ended 30th June, 1936.

Article	OVERSEA.				INTERSTATE.				Total.	
	Quantity.		Value.		Quantity.		Value.			
	Australian Produce.	Over-sea Produce.	Quantity.	Value.						
Ale, Beer, Porter, etc. ... gal.	4,743	...	1,095	£	...	...	...	...	4,743	1,095
Apparel lb.	638	...	29	...	6,932	...	262	...	7,570	29
Biscuits lb.	23,388	...	1,591	...	3,233	...	221	...	26,621	1,812
Brushware lb.	3,312	...	153	...	764	23	33	5	4,099	19
Cheese "	19,605	...	38,188	...	1,100	...	2,481	...	20,705	40,619
Coal (Bunker) ton	112	2,442	7	125	109	...	7	...	2,663	130
Coffee, Cocoa, Chocolate lb.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cordage and Twine	104,615	...	2,916	...	6,524	...	212	...	111,139	3,128
Fish—Fresh lb.	1,972	...	108	...	42	244	2	10	2,258	120
Fish—Preserved "	13,127	...	282	...	174	...	5	...	13,301	287
Fruits—Preserved	2,804	...	3,876	...	205	...	268	...	3,009	4,144
Fruits—Fresh cntl.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fruits and Vegetables (in liquid, etc.) ... ...	...	...	75	...	...	...	22	...	...	97
Vegetables, Dried or Concentrated ... ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	59	...	...	60
Vegetables, Fresh ... ...	...	...	7,878	...	...	...	626	...	...	8,500
Grain and Pulse—	7	...	7	...	20	...	41	...	27	48
Beans and Peas ... cntl.	137	...	52	...	...	...	...	...	137	52
Oats ... ... "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wheat "	198	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	198	9
Barley, Pearl & Scotch lb.	66	...	24	...	...	...	...	...	66	2
Bran, etc. cntl.	2,997	...	1,435	...	29	...	19	...	3,026	1,455
Flour, Wheaten "	54	1	70	1	2	...	2	...	57	73
Rice "	230	...	65	...	...	...	...	...	230	63
Hay and Chaff cwt.	1,860	...	61	...	423	...	10	...	2,283	73
Jams and Jellies ... lb.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Meats—	16,905	...	760	...	5,955	...	236	...	22,860	900
Bacon and Hams, etc. ...	144,683	...	4,317	...	45,284	...	970	...	189,967	5,287
Fresh and Smoked ... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Frozen (other than Rabbits and Hares)	411,288	...	9,661	...	3,071	...	45	...	414,359	9,700
Rabbits and Hares ... pairs	258	...	10	...	246	...	14	...	504	2
Potted and Concentrated ... ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Preserved in tins ... lb.	457	...	18	...	...	...	...	...	457	18
Preserved in tins ... lb.	5	...	14	...	...	...	...	...	5	14
Other (including Salted) cwt.	32,887	...	787	...	484	...	14	...	33,371	800
Milk (Preserved) ... lb.	59	26,643,428	26	432,989	...	1,403,968	...	20,012	28,047,455	453,027
Oils gal.	49	...	37	...	10	...	7	...	59	44
Onions cwt.	6	...	2	...	2	...	8	...	8	10
Paints and Colours	7,913	...	3,049	...	205	...	88	...	8,118	3,137
Potatoes "	39	...	13	...	...	...	...	...	39	13
Salt "	4,283	...	62	...	118	...	2	...	4,401	6
Soap lb.	440	19	209	45	1	...	1	...	460	25
Spirits gal.	541	...	532	...	7	...	15	...	548	54
Sugar cwt.	3,386	...	238	650	50	51	4	...	4,086	290
Tea lb.	85	14	33	1	...	...	...	...	99	3
Tobacco ... ... "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cigars "	230	...	135	...	2	...	3	...	232	13
Cigarettes ... ... "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wine—Sparkling ... gal.	1,671	...	236	...	...	...	...	...	1,671	23
Wine—Still ... ... "	...	...	7,109	2,041	...	...	1,249	15	...	10,410
All other Articles ... ...	...	...	84,769	435,548	...	...	6,973	20,046	...	547,333
Total ... ...	...	...	520,317	...	...	...	27,019	...	...	547,333

No. 25.—Principal Imports, Oversea and Interstate, during the Year ended
30th June, 1936.

A.—VALUES.

Article.	Oversea.	Interstate.		Total.
		Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.	
CLASS I.—FOODSTUFFS OF ANIMAL ORIGIN, EXCLUDING LIVING ANIMALS.	£	£	£	£
Butter ... ... ... ... ... ...	... 438	222,033	...	222,033
Cheese	5	68,575	3	69,016
Eggs in Shell ... ... ... ... ... ...	...	8,194	...	8,199
Liquid Form ... ... ... ... ... ...	...	6,540	...	6,540
Fish—				
Preserved in Tins, etc.	49,645	343	7,071	57,059
Other	19,456	4,312	12,738	36,506
Meats—				
Bacon and Hams ... ... ...	...	46,261	...	46,261
Potted and Concentrated	5,166	16,652	65	21,883
Preserved in Tins	440	28,482	...	28,922
Milk and Cream—				
Dried or in Powdered Form ... ... ...	...	44,378	...	44,378
Condensed ... ... ... ...	...	59,781	...	59,781
Other Animal Foodstuffs	7,000	60,501	405	67,906
TOTAL, CLASS I.	82,150	566,052	20,282	668,484
CLASS II.—FOODSTUFFS OF VEGETABLE ORIGIN, NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, ETC.				
Biscuits	600	8,320	13	8,933
Confectionery	1,662	240,607	1	242,270
Cocoa—Beans and Shells, Raw	2,918	...	...	2,918
Coffee—				
Raw and Kiln Dried	4,246	14	1,668	5,928
Roasted, Ground, and in Liquid	5	14,298	...	14,303
Fruits—				
Dried	3,259	24,535	1,044	28,838
Fresh :				
Bananas	9,366	8,430	4	17,800
Other	4	3,475	...	3,479
Preserved in Liquid	780	71,810	7	72,597
Grain and Pulse—				
Unprepared	1,535	5,816	248	7,599
Prepared :				
Malt	8	36,337	...	36,345
Oatmeal, Wheatmeal, etc. ... ...	...	15,482	...	15,482
Rice	188	22,765	71	23,024
Jams and Jellies	79	117,154	...	117,233
Pickles and Sauces	529	48,712	32	49,273
Sugar—				
Raw ... ... ... ...	...	410,509	...	410,509
Refined	55	26,175	...	26,230
Tea—				
In Packets	163	26,044	222	26,429
In Bulk	186,743	...	1,208	187,951
Other Foodstuffs of Vegetable Origin	35,023	186,327	6,878	228,228
TOTAL, CLASS II.	247,163	1,266,810	11,396	1,525,369
CLASS III.—SPIRITUOUS AND ALCOHOLIC LIQUORS.				
Ale and Beer—				
In Bottle	2,972	81,796	16	84,784
In Bulk ... ... ... ...	...	72,565	...	72,565
Cider and Perry	26	552	...	578
Spirits (Beverages)	32,509	51,422	18,347	102,273
Wine	2,121	78,044	361	80,526
TOTAL, CLASS III.	37,628	284,379	18,724	340,731
CLASS IV.—TOBACCO AND PREPARATIONS THEREOF.				
Tobacco—				
Manufactured	62	428,553	56	428,671
Unmanufactured	8,079	1,673	...	9,752
Cigars	726	11,084	206	12,016
Cigarettes	100	389,656	664	390,420
Other Preparations	28	...	...	28
TOTAL, CLASS IV.	8,995	830,966	926	840,887
CLASS V.—LIVE ANIMALS.				
Cattle	356	81,332	...	81,688
Horses	2,980	35,535	1,175	39,690
Sheep ... ... ... ...	...	35,455	85	35,540
Other	314	1,074	5	1,393
TOTAL, CLASS V.	3,650	153,396	1,265	158,311
CLASS VI.—ANIMAL SUBSTANCES NOT FOODSTUFFS.				
	4,423	20,245	783	25,451

No. 25.—Principal Imports, Oversea and Interstate, during the Year ended
30th June, 1936—continued.

A.—VALUES—continued.

Article.	Oversea.	Interstate.		Total.
		Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.	
CLASS VII.—VEGETABLE SUBSTANCES AND FIBRES.	£	£	£	£
Hemp	19,260	133	...	19,393
Kapok	17,071	...	...	17,071
Starch ... ... ... ... ... ...	...	9,817	...	9,817
Other Vegetable Substances	31,537	37,047	2,256	70,640
TOTAL, CLASS VII.	67,668	46,997	2,256	116,921
CLASS VIII.—(a) APPAREL, (b) TEXTILES, (c) MANUFACTURED FIBRES.				
(a) Apparel—				
Boots and Shoes	3,066	369,214	564	372,844
Hats and Caps	3,307	99,325	55	102,687
Other Wearing Apparel	34,892	1,300,312	7,409	1,342,613
TOTAL, CLASS VIII. (a)	41,265	1,768,851	8,028	1,818,144
(b) Textiles ... TOTAL, CLASS VIII. (b)	526,135	293,395	32,774	852,304
(c) Manufactured Fibres—				
Bags and Sacks	209,501	1,519	355	211,375
Other Manufactured Fibres	4,948	78,849	689	84,486
TOTAL, CLASS VIII. (c)	214,449	80,368	1,044	295,861
CLASS IX.—OILS, FATS AND WAXES.				
Lard and Edible Fats, N.E.I.	55	23,125	24	23,204
Oils in Bulk—				
Kerosene and the like	51,161	...	41	51,202
Lubricating (Mineral)	66,718	7,093	16,195	90,006
Residual	212,492	...	...	212,492
Petroleum, Spirit, Petrol, etc.	327,062	49	1,766	328,877
Other Oils, Fats and Waxes	23,111	41,121	8,407	72,639
TOTAL, CLASS IX.	680,599	71,388	26,433	778,420
CLASS X.—PAINTS AND VARNISHES	5,328	127,176	526	133,030
CLASS XI.—STONES AND MINERALS, INCLUDING ORES AND CONCENTRATES.				
Asphalt, Bitumen, and Natural Pitch	16,319	415	405	17,139
Coal ... ... ...	...	55,145	...	55,145
Other Stones and Minerals	21,317	12,248	2,637	36,202
TOTAL, CLASS XI.	37,636	67,808	3,042	108,486
CLASS XII.—METALS, METAL MANUFACTURES AND MACHINERY.				
(a) Machines and Machinery—				
Agricultural Implements and Machinery ...	11,586	220,375	713	232,674
Other	749,565	946,389	89,343	1,785,297
TOTAL, CLASS XII. (a)	761,151	1,166,764	90,056	2,117,971
(b) Metals and Metal Manufactures—				
Iron and Steel:				
Bar, Rod, etc.	26,155	100,734	354	127,243
Plate and Sheet, Galvanised	26,234	161,802	...	188,036
" " Black	5,993	137,691	180	143,864
Structural	30,388	...	3,548	33,936
Wire, Barbed	5,537	33,510	73	39,120
Fencing ... ... ...	...	9,157	...	9,157
Netting, Wire	14,883	48,022	...	48,022
Vehicles—				
Motor Cars	392,554	410,848	135,634	930,036
Motor Parts, Other Vehicles, and Parts ...	112,525	152,405	11,355	276,285
Other Metals and Manufactures ...	320,550	661,445	17,136	999,131
TOTAL, CLASS XII. (b)	934,819	1,777,641	168,280	2,880,740

No. 25.—Principal Imports, Oversea and Interstate, during the Year ended
30th June, 1936—continued.

A.—VALUES—continued.

Article.	Oversea.	Interstate.		Total.
		Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.	
CLASS XIII.—RUBBER AND LEATHER AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF.				
(a) Rubber and Rubber Manufactures—				
Tyres, Pneumatic:				
Covers	1,203	218,025	...	219,228
Tubes	278	28,261	...	28,539
Tyres not Pneumatic	6	455	...	461
Other	6,648	89,176	221	96,045
TOTAL, CLASS XIII. (a)	8,135	335,917	221	344,273
(b) Leather and Manufactures of Leather—				
Leather	83	44,999	3	45,085
Manufactures of Leather	2,334	45,119	130	47,583
TOTAL, CLASS XIII. (b)	2,417	90,118	133	92,668
CLASS XIV.—WOOD AND WICKER, RAW AND MANUFACTURED.				
Furniture	4,030	21,081	257	25,368
Timber	34,208	78,100	19,472	131,780
Manufactures of Wood	21,095	54,055	151	75,301
TOTAL, CLASS XIV.	59,333	153,236	19,880	232,449
CLASS XV.—EARTHENWARE, CEMENT, CHINA, GLASS AND STONEWARE.				
Crockery, Household	31,250	10,597	3,833	45,680
Glass and Glassware	36,775	76,418	1,555	114,748
Other	31,269	32,596	143	64,008
TOTAL, CLASS XV.	99,294	119,611	5,531	224,436
CLASS XVI.—PAPER AND STATIONERY.				
(a) Paper	139,886	73,863	1,318	215,067
(b) Stationery and Manufactures of Paper	80,055	194,544	3,850	278,449
CLASS XVII.—JEWELLERY, TIMEPIECES AND FANCY GOODS				
...	64,120	104,099	7,212	175,431
CLASS XVIII.—OPTICAL, SURGICAL AND SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS.				
Instruments, Parts and Accessories	24,907	43,340	9,953	78,200
Talking Machines, Records, etc.	314	8,357	94	8,765
TOTAL, CLASS XVIII.	25,221	51,697	10,047	86,965
CLASS XIX.—DRUGS, CHEMICALS AND FERTILISERS.				
Cream of Tartar	446	21,430	...	21,885
Cyanides of Potassium and Sodium	74,594	150	...	74,744
Drugs and Medicinal Preparations	15,153	153,726	3,538	172,417
Fertilisers—				
Ammonium Sulphate	24,816	16	...	24,832
Rock Phosphates	147,143	...	...	147,143
Other Fertilisers	17,709	12,187	30	29,926
Perfumery and Toilet Preparations	3,903	112,092	1,595	117,590
Sulphur (Brimstone)	179,137	339	542	180,018
Other Drugs and Chemicals	72,763	139,109	3,454	215,326
TOTAL, CLASS XIX.	535,664	439,058	9,159	983,881
CLASS XX.—MISCELLANEOUS.				
Arms, Ammunitions, and Explosives	158,733	140,322	1,277	300,332
Brushware	3,002	22,614	257	25,873
Matches and Vistas	69	6,859	...	6,928
Pianos	1,702	2,776	123	4,601
Player Pianos	4	498	110	612
All other Articles, N.E.I.	247,047	319,892	6,283	573,222
TOTAL, CLASS XX.	410,557	492,961	8,050	911,568
CLASS XXI.—GOLD, SILVER, AND BRONZE SPECIE ...				
... ...	101	1,650	...	1,751
GRAND TOTAL, IMPORTS *	5,077,842	10,578,990	451,216	16,108,048
		£11,030,206		

* For QUANTITIES of Principal Commodities, see Table No. 25 (B), next page.

No. 25.—Principal Imports, Oversea and Interstate, during the Year ended
30th June, 1936—continued.

B.—QUANTITIES.

Article.	Oversea.	Interstate.		Total.
		Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.	
Butter lb.	... ...	3,274,260	...	3,274,260
Eggs in Shell doz.	120	126,458	...	126,578
Bacon and Hams lb.	...	1,006,852	...	1,006,852
Meats, Preserved in tins "	6,499	852,680	...	859,179
Milk—				
Dried "	...	1,079,053	...	1,079,053
Condensed "	...	1,797,958	...	1,797,958
Biscuits "	11,790	173,541	120	185,451
Confectionery "	48,154	3,637,706	10	3,685,870
Cocoa Beans and Shells, Raw "	252,844	...	...	252,844
Fruits, Dried "	562,763	883,355	35,182	1,481,300
Jams and Jellies "	2,928	5,387,480	...	5,390,408
Sugar—				
Raw cwt.	...	321,966	...	321,966
Refined "	100	14,489	...	14,589
Tea—				
In Packets lb.	3,570	249,158	2,310	255,038
Bulk "	3,738,131	...	20,920	3,759,051
Ale and Beer—				
In Bottles gal.	12,205	267,289	16	279,510
Bulk "	...	395,940	...	395,940
Spirits, Beverages "	27,967	73,984	10,836	112,787
Tobacco—				
Manufactured lb.	153	1,035,144	68	1,035,365
Unmanufactured "	103,054	78,739	...	181,793
Cigars "	498	10,215	81	10,794
Cigarettes "	217	410,671	526	411,414
Oils—				
Kerosene gal.	4,440,178	...	135	4,440,313
Lubricating (Mineral) "	1,255,045	40,302	98,712	1,394,059
Residual "	40,436,700	...	...	40,436,700
Petroleum Spirit, Petrol, etc. "	22,129,912	344	16,856	22,147,112
Asphalt, Bitumen and Natural Pitch ewt.	156,591	714	1,086	158,391
Coal ton	...	50,893	...	50,893
Wire—				
Barbed cwt.	...	8,021	...	8,021
Fencing "	...	49,432	...	49,432
Timber sup.ft.	5,286,290	2,555,579	804,666	8,646,535
Rock Phosphates cwt.	2,613,663	...	...	2,613,663
Sulphur "	812,807	528	1,048	814,838

No. 26.—Value of Imports and Exports, Oversea and Interstate, at the Several Ports of Western Australia during the undermentioned periods.

Ports, etc.	Year ended 30th June, 1935.		Year ended 30th June, 1936.		
	Value of Trade.		Value of Imports.		
	Imports.	Exports.*	Oversea.	Interstate.	Total.
Fremantle ... }	£ 13,393,842	£ 13,990,695	£ 4,867,458	£ 10,017,880	£ 14,885,338
Perth ... }	13,393,842	13,990,695	4,867,458	10,017,880	15,038,777
Albany ...	157,979	309,165	4,228	147,630	151,867
Broome ...	10,994	62,302	11,733	1,873	13,606
Bunbury ...	55,533	1,067,732	66,391	23,338	89,729
Busselton ...	...	83,648	...	...	33,635
Carnarvon ...	16,722	133,172	8,230	7,372	15,602
Cossack ...	2,800	35,024	2,997	...	2,997
Derby ...	1,138	7,381	1,242	125	1,367
Esperance ...	3,973	34,053	...	4,154	4,154
Geraldton ...	132,428	888,370	107,441	14,078	121,519
Hopetoun ...	...	...	239	239	...
Onslow ...	5,656	20,420	3,207	2,632	5,839
Port Hedland ...	3,818	89,640	4,449	...	4,449
Wyndham ...	†48,713	152,452	466	†60,591	†61,057
Overland by Rail ...	392,804	5,114	...	750,285	750,285
Total ...	14,226,405	16,879,168	5,077,842	11,030,206	16,108,048
					17,021,198
					1,523,088
					18,544,286

* Including Ships' Stores.

† Mainly Cattle overlanded from the Northern Territory.

VII.—LAND SETTLEMENT.

No. 27.—Land Settlement as on the 30th June, 1936.

Particulars.							Area.	Area.
I.—ABSOLUTELY ALIENATED:							acres.	acres.
Area sold by public auction or other forms of direct sale or otherwise alienated up to 30th June, 1936	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16,908,840
II.—IN PROCESS OF ALIENATION ON THE 30TH JUNE, 1936:								
Midland Railway Concessions in process of alienation	...	...	...	...	...	...	54,800	
Free Homestead Farms	...	...	...	...	...	...	657,410	
Conditional Purchases	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,060,691	
Selections from late W.A. Land Company	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,297	
Selections under the Agricultural Lands Purchase Act	...	...	...	...	...	...	443,481	
Homestead or Grazing Leases	...	...	...	...	...	...	9,845,342	
Poison Land Leases and Licenses	...	...	...	...	...	...	19,812	
	...	...	...	...	...	...		16,086,333
Total area alienated or in process of alienation on the 30th June, 1936	...	...	...	...	...	...		32,095,173
III.—LEASES OR LICENSES IN FORCE ON 30TH JUNE, 1936:								
Issued by Lands Department—								
Pastoral Leases	...	...	...	...	...	...	200,890,464	
Special Leases	...	...	...	...	...	...	404,585	
Leases of Reserves	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,048,575	
Residential Lots	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,617	
Issued by Mines Department—								
Gold Mining Leases†	...	...	...	...	...	...	41,250	
Mineral Leases‡	...	...	...	...	...	...	36,512	
Miners' Homestead Leases	...	...	...	...	...	...	32,007	
Issued by Forestry Department—								
Timber Permits a	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,499,412	
	...	...	...	...	...	...		203,961,422
IV.—AREA NEITHER ALIENATED, IN PROCESS OF ALIENATION, NOR LEASED	...	...	...	...	...	...		387,632,205
Total Area of Western Australia	...	...	...	...	...	...		624,588,800

† Exclusive of 494 acres on "Private Property." ‡ Exclusive of 110 acres on "Private Property."

a Including 20,671 acres of Firewood Permits, but exclusive of Miscellaneous Permits for Forest Produce.

No. 28.—Principal Crown Lands Transactions.—Area of Crown Lands for which Applications have been approved by the Lands Department from 1926.

Period.	Conditional Alienation.						Leases and Licenses.			
	Conditional Purchases.	Free Homestead Farms.	Grazing Leases.	Selections, Land Purchase Act.	Town Lots.	Total.	Pastoral Leases and Licenses.	Special Leases.	Miscellaneous Leases.	Total.
1926	acres. 419,734	acres. 99,141	acres. 1,695,932	acres. 44,044	acres. 1,432	acres. 2,260,283	acres. 10,377,848	acres. 15,965	acres. ...	acres. 10,393,813
1931	65,219	235,691	390,848	8,987	1,536	702,281	2,974,058	23,452	17,323	3,014,833
1932	109,085	31,948	357,417	5,646	1,182	505,278	3,588,817	3,534	52,889	3,643,240
1933	70,134	19,012	281,656	4,831	1,223	376,856	3,156,620	524	43,677	3,200,821
1934	217,353	11,295	94,255	8,729	959	332,591	9,094,561	1,595	12,450	9,108,606
1935	248,243	8,300	...	11,380	934	268,857	3,214,184	252,132	147,642	3,613,958
1936—3 months ended March, ...	77,763	2,524	...	21	97	80,405	1,157,358	26,354	12,707	1,196,419
April, 1936 ...	20,194	600	...	3	84	20,881	203,889	9	37	203,935
May, 1936 ...	20,499	1,080	...	598	77	22,254	430,420	130	2,180	432,730
June, 1936 ...	33,067	823	...	...	75	33,965	840,608	40,623	6,448	887,679

VIII.—PRODUCTION.

No. 29.—Estimated Gross* value of Western Australian Production, 1926-27 to 1934-35.

(Calculated principally on F.O.B. and Metropolitan Market Prices as to Primary Industries, and Value at door of Factory as to Manufactured Output.)

Year.	Agricultural. †	Pastoral.	Dairy, Poultry, and Bee-Farming.	Forestry and Fisherles.	Mining. ‡	Manufacturing Output.	
						£	£
1926-27	12,093,686	5,631,168	1,251,495	1,973,355	2,466,581	15,671,660	
1927-28	13,034,025	7,343,577	1,343,673	1,711,176	2,348,913	16,998,184	
1928-29	11,942,067	6,750,319	1,467,753	1,511,943	2,294,254	17,454,430	
1929-30	12,251,902	5,400,037	1,721,388	1,351,459	2,247,942	16,891,482	
1930-31	8,877,875	4,422,575	1,584,978	1,147,334	2,347,588	12,353,353	
1931-32	10,492,701	4,011,531	1,655,262	869,419	3,455,446	11,187,571	
1932-33	10,247,311	4,028,270	1,669,074	806,487	4,845,554	12,327,548	
1933-34	9,511,096	6,684,416	1,657,318	1,026,911	5,303,171	12,877,288	
1934-35	8,167,869	4,727,974	1,963,338	1,388,319	5,969,261	14,641,680	

*As "Gross" value includes Transport and Marketing Costs, Goods Consumed in the process of Production and Raw Material, etc., used, such values should not be aggregated in order to obtain the Total Value of Production.

† Includes £714,200 Bonus on Wheat production 1931-32, £436,145 in 1932-33, £639,493 in 1933-34, and £735,580 in 1934-35. ‡ Includes £74,512 Bonus on Gold production in 1931 and £86,928 in 1932.

IV.—LAND SETTLEMENT.

IX.—GOLD MINING STATISTICS.

No. 30.—Annual Gold Production of Western Australia from 1886, also amounts of Dividends paid,

Period.	Quantity of Raw Gold.			Value.*	Dividends Paid.
	Exported Direct.	Received at Perth Mint.	Total.		
Prior to 1929 ...	Fine ounces.	Fine ounces.	Fine ounces.	£	£
1929 ...	10,984,558	26,525,714	37,510,272	161,923,105	28,729,680
1930 ...	3,036	374,140	377,176	1,602,142	65,607
1931 ...	1,753	415,765	417,518	1,864,442	31,250
1932 ...	1,727	508,845	510,572	2,998,187	53,125
1933 ...	3,887	601,674	605,561	4,403,642	320,584
1934 ...	2,447	634,760	637,207	4,886,254	842,823
1935 ...	3,521	647,817	651,338	5,558,873	991,275
	9,369	639,181	649,050	5,702,149	1,124,918
1886 to 31st December, 1935	11,122,798	30,347,896	41,258,694	188,938,744	32,159,262
January, 1936	2,974	55,859	58,833	513,284	40,000
February, 1936	2,776	55,502	58,278	509,693	79,166
March, 1936	3,173	57,350	60,523	529,383	248,333
April, 1936	4,646	68,939	68,585	599,701	70,000
May, 1936	3,343	60,344	63,687	553,991	...
June, 1936	4,811	66,420	71,231	614,216	71,875

* Australian currency, including premium.

No. 31.—Monthly Gold Production of Western Australia, from 1926.

Month.	1926.	1931.	1932.	1933.	1934.	1935.	1936.
January ...	Fine ounces.	Fine ounces.	Fine ounces.	Fine ounces.	Fine ounces.	Fine ounces.	Fine ounces.
February ...	29,302	27,307	44,088	45,755	55,036	52,595	58,833
March ...	34,685	38,372	44,673	47,282	51,869	21,277	58,278
April ...	30,628	34,948	47,109	47,106	45,900	18,920	60,523
May ...	43,695	38,892	48,936	52,911	54,755	53,054	68,587
June ...	35,438	38,256	53,928	53,301	52,554	54,627	63,687
July ...	39,683	47,508	50,081	53,452	56,218	60,685	71,231
August ...	35,116	38,786	53,585	54,455	55,960	57,194	...
September ...	40,893	52,502	51,537	56,147	57,848	63,655	...
October ...	33,144	38,178	54,428	58,680	55,168	62,707	...
November ...	41,717	52,742	51,237	54,884	52,964	64,141	...
December ...	32,210	53,870	53,956	58,010	57,042	68,028	...
	40,832	49,216	52,053	55,274	56,024	72,172	...
Total ...	437,343	510,572	605,561	637,207	651,338	649,050	...

X.—LIVE STOCK AND WOOL-CLIP.

No. 32.—Number of Live Stock in Western Australia on the 31st December, 1926 to 1935, and Wool Production during each Year.

Year.	Horses.	Cattle.	Sheep.	Pigs.	Goats.	Camels.	Mules and Donkeys.	Wool-clip.	Wool Exported on skins.
1926 ...	166,463	827,303	7,458,766	69,798	20,979	5,021	9,442	55,131,972	4,168,051
1930 ...	156,973	812,844	9,882,761	100,664	19,327	3,623	9,524	71,541,885	5,409,615
1931 ...	156,489	826,532	10,098,104	120,521	18,828	2,880	9,716	71,614,148	6,371,506
1932 ...	157,443	857,473	10,417,031	117,529	18,123	2,718	8,172	75,147,012	6,160,820
1933 ...	159,646	885,669	10,322,350	91,213	19,731	2,456	9,719	78,424,200	6,694,608
1934 ...	161,636	911,669	11,197,156	97,997	18,607	2,360	9,288	89,991,658	5,844,503
1935 ...	160,219	879,989	11,073,715	97,950	18,617	2,182	9,506	84,806,000	6,751,973

XI.—AGRICULTURE.

No. 33.—Cropping, Clearing, etc., 1926-27 to 1935-36.

Season ended last day of February.	Land Cropped, Cleared, etc.						
	Under Crop.	Under artificially sown grasses.	Newly cleared and prepared for next crops.	In fallow.	Other, previously cropped, now used for grazing, etc.	Ringbarked or partially cleared.	Total.
1927	acres. 3,324,523	acres. 128,751	acres. 527,474	acres. 1,677,372	acres. 2,592,887	acres. 2,223,165	acres. 10,474,172
1932	3,961,459	370,935	214,665	2,567,720	5,317,899	1,780,091	14,212,769
1933	4,281,047	427,847	150,511	2,707,197	4,863,540	1,785,952	14,196,094
1934	4,215,360	439,612	146,124	2,625,324	5,441,143	1,757,093	14,624,656
1935	3,888,618	500,694	117,245	2,269,748	6,078,265	1,723,538	14,523,108
1936	3,738,000	578,184	130,480	2,317,820	6,312,593	1,820,168	14,897,245

No. 34.—Areas under various kinds of Crops in Western Australia, 1926-27 to 1935-36.

Season ended last day of February.	Grain Crops.				Hay of all kinds.	Potatoes.	Vineyards.	Or-chards.	Other Crops.
	Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.	Other.					
1927 ...	acres. 2,571,187	acres. 234,826	acres. 13,826	acres. 3,356	acres. 358,487	acres. 5,144	acres. 5,274	acres. 18,512	acres. 113,911
1932 ...	3,158,888	267,894	14,533	2,302	381,447	4,892	5,139	19,530	106,834
1933 ...	3,880,352	285,850	13,772	2,582	417,435	4,971	5,511	20,124	121,450
1934 ...	3,183,216	342,642	24,534	2,499	479,768	4,462	5,700	20,760	151,779
1935 ...	2,764,373	408,810	26,589	3,573	413,138	4,050	5,737	20,811	191,536
1936 ...	2,538,930	447,866	31,482	(a)	493,508	4,933	(a)	(a)	(a)

(a) Not yet available

No. 35.—Yield of Principal Crops and quantity of Wine made, 1926-27 to 1935-36.

Season ended last day of February.	Principal Grain Crops.			Hay of all kinds.	Potatoes.	Wine.
	Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.			
1927 ...	bushels. 31,068,600	bushels. 2,716,436	bushels. 128,136	tons. 423,839	tons. 17,755	gallons. 291,951
1932 ...	41,621,245	3,549,636	164,580	453,353	20,253	364,752
1933 ...	41,791,866	3,803,447	135,243	485,388	22,309	435,003
1934 ...	37,305,100	3,949,905	324,846	512,439	21,204	427,458
1935 ...	26,985,000	4,244,322	237,765	462,947	19,162	496,252
1936 ...	23,289,904	4,554,729	416,286	505,546	26,190	(a)

(a) Not yet available.

No. 36.—Average Yield per Acre of Principal Crops, 1926-27 to 1935-36.

Season ended last day of February.	Principal Grain Crops.			Hay of all kinds.	Potatoes.
	Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.		
1927 ...	bush. 12.08	bush. 11.57	bush. 9.27	tons. 1.18	tons. 3.45
1932 ...	13.14	13.25	11.33	1.19	4.14
1933 ...	12.33	12.61	9.82	1.16	4.49
1934 ...	11.72	11.58	13.24	1.07	4.75
1935 ...	9.76	10.38	8.94	1.12	4.73
1936 ...	9.17	10.17	13.22	1.02	5.30

XII.—INDUSTRIAL ESTABLISHMENTS.

(Exclusive of Mines.)

No. 37.—Output of the principal Articles manufactured in Industrial Establishments of Western Australia, 1926–27 to 1934–35.

Articles, etc., Produced or Treated.		1926–27.	1930–31.	1931–32.	1932–33.	1933–34.	1934–35.
Hides tanned	No.	55,583	34,099	35,860	40,496	38,872	49,786
Skins tanned	"	3,980	9,666	12,781	26,480	18,227	11,559
Leather produced	lbs.	2,074,031	1,224,321	1,248,396	1,493,619	1,545,681	1,882,032
Bricks	No.	45,558,736	13,923,006	15,291,829	25,933,497	32,022,151	37,821,853
Lime burned	tons	8,533	160	700	3,030	4,082	6,061
Timber sawn or hewn (a)	sup. ft.	229,195,066	112,483,555	57,690,364	59,254,410	96,427,568	130,497,365
Bacon	lbs.	2,237,375	2,869,952	2,881,981	3,402,184	} 4,257,785	4,558,113
Ham	"	277,156	42,820	23,756	51,810		
Butter	"	2,464,352	7,102,515	8,347,833	9,461,462	9,825,362	11,183,018
Confectionery	"	4,258,620	4,804,199	4,397,300	4,465,532	4,993,536	5,242,626
Jam	"	(b)	365,064	530,923	670,854	677,283	643,166
Pickles	pints	196,716	187,296	166,660	129,504	174,277	265,924
Sauce	"	168,444	460,565	450,194	463,076	536,232	760,523
Vinegar	"	1,373,624	1,167,439	842,245	916,512	946,049	757,676
Wheat ground	bush.	6,292,463	6,278,915	6,290,640	6,146,484	5,946,858	6,000,767
Flour made	tons	133,919	132,090	131,165	127,574	122,000	124,130
Aerated Waters	doz.	896,293	711,434	(d) 639,047	(d) 616,655	(d) 670,555	(d) 663,613
Cordials	"	43,102	21,955	13,107	14,469	20,402	16,413
Beer and Stout	gall.	5,615,201	5,028,182	4,366,461	4,689,473	5,449,873	5,975,690
Tobacco made	lbs.	52,150	202,321	266,687	220,789	250,068	310,516
Cigarettes made	No.	17,523,774	13,718,393	10,538,184	14,504,392	9,244,449	6,055,457
Do.	lbs.	36,250	30,174	23,138	31,385	20,636	13,571
Cigars made	No.	1,482,376	927,040	1,160,300	1,455,200	1,751,000	1,951,500
Do.	lbs.	15,238	8,860	9,840	11,944	13,048	13,981
Boots and Shoes	pairs	355,754	275,093	353,328	345,537	327,613	331,502
Electric Light	Brit. Units	20,271,409	27,856,037	33,995,105	32,316,192	33,075,395	33,020,322
do. Power	"	57,867,895	70,244,357	85,837,697	105,774,561	118,952,350	130,541,018
Gas manufactured	cub. ft.	293,807,400	423,549,300	393,262,000	389,157,000	407,539,000	445,898,000
Total Value of Industrial Output	£	15,671,660	12,353,353	11,187,571	12,327,548	12,877,288	14,641,680
Total Value of Industrial Production (c)	£	6,907,023	5,281,111	4,605,764	5,061,842	5,444,280	6,284,923

(a) Including the following quantities (in super. feet) hewn outside Industrial Establishments:— 1926–27, 73,107,815 ; 1930–31, 38,158,959 ; 1931–32, 16,635,534 ; 1932–33, 12,441,946 ; 1933–34, 31,335,186 ; 1934–35, 42,069,336. (b) Not available. (c) Value added in the course of Manufacture, i.e., Output less Value of Raw Materials used and Power, etc., consumed. (d) Equals in 1931–32 approximately 785,000 gallons and in addition 87,612 gallons of bulk ginger beer, etc., were made. In 1932–33 approximately 783,558 gallons and in addition 73,869 gallons of bulk ginger beer, etc. In 1933–34 approximately 881,699 gallons and in addition 105,686 gallons of bulk ginger beer, etc. In 1934–35 approximately 852,232 gallons and in addition 78,184 gallons of bulk ginger beer, etc.

XIII.—RETAIL PRICES AND HOUSE RENTS.

METROPOLITAN AREA, OUTPORTS, AND COUNTRY TOWNS.

No. 38a.—Average Retail Prices and Price Index-Numbers—Food and Groceries.

Comparison of Metropolitan Area Retail Prices in March, 1936, and June, 1936, with Perth Retail Prices in July, 1914.

Price Index-Numbers—June Quarter, 1936.

Commodities.	Perth Prices, July, 1914.	March, 1936.		June, 1936.		Index-Numbers representing variations in the cost of food and groceries in the undermentioned towns for the quarter ended June, 1936, with weighted average for Six Capital Cities in 1911 as base (= 1000).
		(a.) Metro- politan Area.	Percentage Increase as compared with July, 1914.	(a.) Metro- politan Area.	Percentage Increase as compared with July, 1914.	
GROCERIES.						
Flour—Ordinary	... 25 lbs.	2 8½	3 6	30·23	31·01	
Tea	... lb.	1 4	2 4	75·00	73·44	
Sugar	... "	0 2½	0 4	45·45	45·45	
Rice	... "	0 3	0 3½	8·33	8·33	
Sago	... "	0 2½	0 3½	18·18	18·18	
Jam	... 1½lb. tin	0 6½	0 9	38·46	38·46	
Oatmeal	... lb.	0 2½	0 3	20·00	20·00	
Raisins	... "	0 7	0 9	28·57	0 9½	32·14
Currants	... "	0 6½	0 8½	30·77	0 8½	30·77
Candles	... "	0 7½	0 11½	53·33	0 11½	53·33
Soap	... "	0 3	0 4½	41·67	0 4½	41·67
Potatoes	... 14lbs.	1 8½	1 0½	37·04†	1 5½	13·57†
Onions	... lb.	0 1½	0 2	14·29	0 2½	28·57
Kerosene	... gal.	1 2½	1 7½	34·48	1 7½	34·48
Butter	... lb.	1 4	1 6½	14·06	1 6½	15·63
Cheese	... "	0 11½	1 1	15·56	1 1½	17·78
Eggs	... doz.	1 8½	1 5½	14·63†	2 2½	30·49
Bacon—Rashers	... lb.	1 2	1 2½	3·57	1 2½	3·57
Ham	... "	1 3½	1 6½	17·74	1 5½	12·90
Bread	... 2lbs.	0 3½	0 5	42·86	0 5	42·86
Milk	... qt.	0 6½	0 6½	8·00	0 7	12·00
MEATS.						
Beef—Sirloin	... lb.	0 8	0 8	00·00	0 9½	18·75
Rib	... "	0 6½	0 6½	00·00	0 8½	22·22
Steak, Rump	... "	0 11½	1 2	21·74	1 3½	32·61
Stewing	..."	0 6½	0 6½	3·70†	0 8½	25·93
Corned, Round	... "	0 7	0 7½	7·14	0 8½	17·86
Brisket	" with bone	0 4½	0 4	5·88†	0 5	17·65
Mutton—Leg	... "	0 9	0 6½	30·56†	0 8½	2·78†
Shoulder	... "	0 7½	0 4½	41·38†	0 6½	10·34†
Loin	... "	0 8	0 6	25·00†	0 8	00·00
Chops, Loin	... "	0 9	0 6½	30·56†	0 8½	2·78†
Leg	..."	0 9	0 6½	27·78†	0 9	00·00
Pork—Leg	... "	0 10½	0 9½	9·52†	0 10½	00·00
Loin	... "	0 10½	0 9	14·29†	0 10	4·76†
Chops	... "	0 11	0 9½	13·64†	0 10½	6·82†
Full Regimen (44 Commodities)	..."	...	...	8·21	...	19·10

(a) Extending from Fremantle to Midland Junction, both inclusive.

† Decrease.

38b.—Variations in the Cost of Food and Groceries in the Metropolitan Area.

Period.	Index No. *	Percentage Increase as compared with July, 1914.
July ...	1340	...
1914.		
1935.	1480	10·45
2nd Qr.	1471	9·78
3rd Qr.	1461	9·03
1936.		
1st Qr.	1451	8·28
April ...	1474	10·00
May ...	1509	12·61
June ...	1596	19·10
2nd Qr. (April to June)	1526	13·88

* Weighted average for Six Capital Cities in 1911 as base (= 1000).

No. 39.—Average Weekly House Rents in the Metropolitan Area, March Quarter, 1936, and June Quarter, 1936.

	Class of House.	Quarter ended March, 1936.	Quarter ended June, 1936.
Wood—			
4 rooms	14 3	14 4
5 rooms	16 9	16 10
Brick—			
4 rooms	17 4	17 5
5 rooms	21 6	21 8

Note.—For the Quarter ended June, 1936, the average weekly house rent for four and five-roomed houses was 18·1 compared with 17·11 for the Quarter ended March, 1936. In calculating the average rent for each quarter, "weights" representing the number of houses in the Metropolitan Area, as disclosed by the 1933 Census, were used.

XIV.—WAGES.

No. 40.—Minimum Rates of Wages payable under Awards of Courts of Arbitration and Industrial Agreements, in certain Trades and Occupations as at 30th June, 1936.

(Note.—Rates are for Metropolitan Area unless otherwise stated, and are shown to the nearest farthing.)

Occupation.	Wages.	Occupation.	Wages.
TREATING RAW MATERIAL, ETC.		STONE, CLAY, GLASS, ETC.—contd.	
Fanneries—		Fibrous Plaster, Plaster, and Cement Goods—	
Bark Bagger	£ s. d. Per week.	Shop Hand	£ s. d. Per hour.
Currier	3 12 0	Sheet Fibre Casters	0 2 0½
Flesher (Hand)	4 8 0	Reinforced Cement Worker	0 1 7½
Lime Jobber	4 3 0	Glass—	0 1 7½
Machinist	3 13 0	Glass bevelling and silvering	Per week.
Band Splitting Machines	3 12 0	Limenworks—	4 11 6
Roller or Striker	4 6 0	Cutters, Loaders, Kilnhands and Quarry-	
Shedman	3 17 6	men	3 19 6
Scudder, Unhairer	3 10 0	Horse-drivers	4 0 0
Tannery Hand (Unskilled)	3 15 6	Motor-drivers	4 5 0
Table Hands	3 8 0	Day Firers, Powder Monkey, Lime Bag-	4 5 0
Chaff-cutting and Carting—(a)	{	gers and Crushers	4 5 6
Steam-feeder, Stackman and Sheaf-turner ...	3 16 2	Kiln Repairers	4 8 6
Cook	4 3 8	Night Firer	Per shift.
Bag Sewer	4 6 2	Pottery and Porcelain Employees—	1 0 7
Engine-driver	5 3 8	Burner or Moulder...	Per day.
Teamster	6 7 8	Setters	0 14 1
(From these rates £1 5s. 1d. is deducted per week for keep.)		Flanglers	0 14 1
Wool Scouring—		Trap Makers	0 13 9
Wool Scourer	4 4 6	Junction Sticker	0 12 9
All other adults	3 18 6	Others	0 11 9
OILS AND FATS.		WORKING IN WOOD.	
Oil Handling—		Box and Case-making—	Per week.
Adults	£ s. d. Per hour.	Sawyer	4 0 6
Soap and Candle Factories—	0 2 7½	Machinist	3 18 0
Glycerine Hand	Per week.	Case-maker	3 18 0
Leading Candlemaker	4 0 6	Labourer	3 10 6
Boxmaker	3 19 6	Joinery—	
Soap Crutcher	3 17 6	Carpenter (Government)	4 14 6
Storeman Packer	3 16 6	Carpenter (Other)	Per hour.
Soda Crystal Maker	3 16 6	0 2 2	
Tallow Man, Box Wirer, and Soap Cutter ...	3 15 6	Forest Sawmills—South-West Land Divi-	Per week.
Assistants to Soap-maker and Candle- maker	3 15 6	Blacksmith (Bush) or Farrier	4 9 2
All other Adults (Males)	3 10 6	Carpenter (Bush)	4 3 2
STONE, CLAY, GLASS, ETC.		Carpenters and Joiners	4 15 2
Brickworks—		Dockerman	3 15 8
Hoffman Kilns:		Engine-drivers—	
Burner	0 1 11	Locomotive	4 10 2
Clayhole Hand	{	Stationary	4 16 2
Machine Driver	0 14 2½ to 0 15 3½ 0 14 2½ to 0 14 8½ 0 11 0	Faller	4 0 2
Taker-off (Single Machine, youth) ...	0 14 2½	Fireman—	4 6 2
Taker-off and Tucker (Double Machine)	0 14 2½	Locomotive	3 17 2
Setter	0 15 7½	Stationary	3 14 2
Moulder and Presser (Fancy Bricks)	0 15 7½	Stationary	3 17 2
Drawers (b)	0 3 5½ to 0 4 4	Horse-driver	3 17 2
Wire-cut Brickyards—	per 1,000 per day.	Labourer	4 0 2
Clayhole Hand	0 14 2½ to 0 15 3½	Machinist	3 11 2
Off-bearers	0 15 1	Motor Lorry Driver	4 3 8
Scintlers	0 14 2½	Puller-out	4 13 8
Burners	0 14 2½ to 0 15 3½	Saw Doctor	4 6 2
Setters	0 15 7½	Sawyer	4 5 8
Millfeeder	0 14 2½	Spotter	3 11 2
Wheeler-out	0 14 8½	Swammer	3 17 2
Wheeler or Crowder-in	0 14 2½	Stacker	3 11 2
Cement Pipe-making—	Per week.	Tractor Driver (Log Hauling) ...	3 17 2
Pipe Maker	3 19 6	Town Sawmills—	4 13 8
Stone Crushers	4 2 6	Buzzer	4 5 0
Labourer	3 19 6	Motor Lorry Driver	4 11 0
Cement Works—	3 13 6		4 5 0
Miller	4 4 5		4 13 0
Assistant	3 18 5		
Burner	4 14 5		
Dredge Hand	4 10 5		
General Hands	3 15 5		
	{		
	4 3 5		

(a) The award applies to S.W. Land Division.

(b) 4d. to be deducted for each hour worked.

(c) Outside 14 mile radius, from G.P.O.

No. 40.—Minimum Rates of Wages payable under Awards of Courts of Arbitration and Industrial Agreements, in certain Trades and Occupations as at 30th June, 1936—contd.

Occupation.	Wages.	Occupation.	Wages
WORKING IN WOOD— <i>contd.</i>	£ s. d.	METAL WORKS AND MACHINERY— <i>contd.</i>	£ s. d.
Town Sawmills— <i>contd.</i>	Per Week.	Plumbing—	Per week.
Joiner	4 10 6	Plumber (Government)	4 14 6
	4 5 0	Plumber (Other)	Per hour. 0 2 5
Moulding Machinist	{ to 4 11 0		
	4 0 0		
Sawyer	{ to 4 8 0	FOOD AND DRINK, ETC.	Per week.
Shaper	{ to 4 15 0	Ham and Bacon Curing—	4 18 6
Tenoner	{ to 4 5 0	Leading Man	4 11 6
Wood-turner	{ to 4 10 6	Scalders	4 9 0
	4 13 6	Assistants in Cellar, Bacon Rollers, etc.	4 4 0
METAL WORKS AND MACHINERY.		Pork Labourers, Shavers, etc.	4 1 6
Engineering, Foundries, etc.—		Vardmen	
Blacksmith, Coppersmith, Fitter, Turner, Planer, Slotter, etc.	4 14 6	Biscuits and Cakes—	
Pattern-maker	5 3 6	Biscuit Makers	4 10 6
Furnace man	{ to 4 2 6	Machine Hands	4 10 6
Tradesman's Assistant	4 14 6	Employees in Charge, Cake Mixing ...	4 10 6
Boilermaker	3 16 6	Weighers, Mixers, and Blenders ...	4 0 6
Moulder	{ to 3 19 6	Female Employees (Adults) ...	1 19 10
Electrical Wireman	4 14 6	Pastry Cooking—	
Engineering (Sawmills)—South-West Land Division (c)—	4 8 6	Pastrycook (Single Hand) ...	4 18 0
Leading Hand	5 13 2	Pastrycook	4 10 6
Pattern-maker	5 7 2	Casual	Per day. 0 16 5
Oxy-acetylene Operator	4 19 2	Flour Mills—	Per week.
Fitter, Turner, etc.	4 18 2	Foreman Miller	5 2 0
Driller	4 6 2	Shift Millers or Rollerman ...	{ to 4 9 0
Electrical Wireman	4 12 2	Fitters and Millwrights ...	4 19 6
Tradesmen's Assistants	4 0 2	General Repairers ...	4 16 0
Engineering (Others)—South-West Land Division (c)—		Wheat Samplers ...	{ to 3 18 0
Fitter, Turner, Motor Mechanic, Elec- trical Fitter	4 15 2	Smuttermen and Topmen ...	4 2 0
Tradesman's Assistant	3 17 2	Packermen ...	4 0 0
General Labourer	3 11 2	Storeman ...	3 17 0
Agricultural Implement Making—	Per day.		3 16 0
Assemblers	0 12 9	Engine-drivers ...	{ to 4 4 0
Labourers	0 11 9	Firemen ...	4 7 0
Agricultural Implement Making (Govern- ment)—	Per week.	Other ...	3 16 0
Pattern-makers	5 4 6		3 13 0
Blacksmiths	5 0 6	Sugar Refinery—	
Boilermaker	4 17 6	Raw Sugar:	Per week.
Carpenters	4 15 6	Leading hand ...	4 1 0
Fitters, Turners, Moulders	4 14 6	Unstacking, cutting-in ...	3 16 0
Plumbers and Painters	4 14 6	Melting House:	
Labourers	3 10 6	Washing fugs ...	3 16 6
Engineering (Railways)—	Per day.	Pan Floor:	
Forge man	1 2 1	Refined fugs ...	4 0 6
Fitter in Charge, Running Shed ...	1 1 0	Boil-out fugs ...	3 13 6
Fitter in Charge, Power House ...	0 19 11	Refined Sugar Floor:	
Pattern-maker	0 18 10	Leading hand ...	4 1 0
Blacksmith	0 18 3	Drier and Grader	3 15 6
Coppersmith, Fitter, Brass Finisher, Turner, Borer, Planer, etc. ...		Stackers and Truckers ...	3 13 6
Furnaceman, etc.	{ to 0 15 7	Packages:	
	0 16 8	Leading hand ...	3 19 6
Boilermaker	{ to 0 17 9	Men Washing and Drying ...	3 10 6
Moulder	{ to 0 19 11	Cleaner Attendants ...	3 13 6
Engineering (Goldfields)—Excluding Mining—	Per week.	Unspecified Workers ...	3 10 6
Coppersmith, Blacksmith, Fitter, Turner, Motor Mechanic and Planer ...	5 10 7	Aerated Water and Cordial Factories—	
Patternmaker	5 19 7	Horse or Motor Driver ...	4 2 6
Sheet Metal Working—		Bottler in Charge ...	4 3 0
Bench Hands (First class)	4 19 6	Bottler ...	3 15 6
Stock Hands	4 11 0	Wirer or Packer ...	3 15 6
Canister Makers	4 3 6	Corker ...	3 13 0
Stove and Range Fitters and Assemblers	4 11 0	Others ...	3 10 6
Gas Meter makers	4 14 6	Breweries (including Bottling)—	
Wire-working—		Engine-drivers ...	5 6 6
Galvaniser	4 8 0	Firemen ...	4 11 6
Hand and Power Loom Weaver ...	4 2 0	Motor Lorry Drivers ...	5 6 9
Barbed Wire-maker	4 1 0	† Cylinder Men ...	5 1 9
Machinist	3 19 6	† Leading Hands ...	4 19 9
Labourer	3 10 6	† Bottle Washers, Cask Washers, Corkers, Wirers and Labourers ...	4 16 9

(c) Outside 25 mile radius, from G.P.O.
Brewery employees. (a) Outside 15 mile radius but within 25 mile radius weekly rates are 6d. extra on account of Basic Wage variation.

† Wages paid by private agreement, there being no award covering

Brewery employees. (a) Outside 15 mile radius but within 25 mile radius weekly rates are 6d. extra on account of Basic Wage variation.

No. 40.—Minimum Rates of Wages payable under Awards of Courts of Arbitration and Industrial Agreements in certain Trades and Occupations as at 30th June, 1936—contd.

Occupation.	Wages.	Occupation.	Wages.
FOOD AND DRINK, ETC.—continued. Baking (Within 15 Miles G.P.O.)—contd.	£ s. d.	BOOKS, PAPER, AND PRINTING.	£ s. d.
Bread Carter ...	4 1 0	Cardboard Box and Carton making—Federal Award :	Per Week.
Bread Carter (in charge, motor vehicles)	4 6 0	Guillotine ...	4 3 0
Cigar, Cigarette, and Tobacco Making—		Carton Setters ...	4 6 0
Males ...	3 13 6	Two-way or Double-cutter Machinist ...	4 0 0
Females ...	2 0 2	Storeman, Packer and Despatcher ...	3 14 0
Fruit and Produce Markets—		Females ...	1 16 6
Storeman ...	4 0 6	Cardboard Box and Carton-making—State Award :	to
CLOTHING AND TEXTILE FABRICS AND FIBROUS MATERIALS.		Females (Adults) ...	3 0 6
Boots and Shoes—		Males (Adults) ...	2 2 11
Journeyman ...	4 3 0	Guillotine Cutters, Carton Setters ...	3 14 6
Journeywoman ...	2 1 11	Storemen or Packers ...	4 11 0
Repairer ...	0 2 0 3	Printing (Newspapers)—	
Clothing Trades—		Linotype Operators:	
Dressmaking (Order)—	Per week.	Night ...	7 4 1
Skirt Hand ...	2 2 10	Day ...	6 11 4
Coat, Bodice, etc., Hand	2 4 10	Linotype Mechanics—	
Millinery—		Night ...	6 2 0
Milliner ...	2 0 10	Day ...	5 9 3
Knitting—		Flat-bed Machinists	
Males ...	3 13 0	Night ...	6 6 3
Females ...	2 2 2	Day ...	5 14 6
Ready-made Clothing (Men's and Boys' Outer)—		General Hands—	
Foreman ...	5 2 6	Night ...	5 9 3
Cutter, Trimmer, and Presser ...	4 7 6	Day ...	4 16 6
Coat Hand (Female) ...	2 3 10	Printing (Jobbing)—Federal Award :	
Brusher and Folder (Female) ...	2 0 10	Machine Compositor ...	5 4 0
Machinist ...	2 2 4	Proof Reader or Reviser ...	4 18 0
	to	Hand Compositor, Slugger, Bulk	
	2 3 10	Hand, Stone Hand, Electrotypers,	
Shirtmaking—		Stereotyper, Letterpress Machinist,	
Cutter (Male) ...	4 7 6	Rotary Machinist, Hand Indexer,	4 12 0
Cutter (Female) ...	2 8 10	Book Binder, Marbler, Blocker,	
Machinist, Ironer, Starcher ...	2 0 10	Finisher, Paper Ruler, Guillotine	
Stock Costumes—		Machine Operator, Man in Charge	
Dressmaking (ready made):		Envelope-making Machine	
Stock Cutter (Male) ...	4 7 6	Rotary Machinist's Assistant ...	4 3 0
Stock Cutter (Female) ...	2 8 10	Stone or Plate Preparer ...	3 16 0
Skirt Hand ...	2 2 2	Ink Grinder or Varnisher ...	3 12 0
Coat, Bodice, etc., Hand	2 2 2	Envelope Angle Cutter	4 8 0
Machinist ...	2 2 2	Envelope Cutter or Die Cutter, Tag	
White Work—		Machinist, Cutter of Playing Cards,	
Corset Maker ...	2 5 10	Surface Coater	
Cutter (Female) ...	2 8 10	Calenderer, Water-proofer ...	3 16 0
Washer, Starcher, and Ironer	2 0 10	Brusher, Plate Roller ...	3 17 0
Machinist ...	2 0 10	Storeman, Packer, or Despatcher	3 14 0
Tailoring—		Printing (Jobbing)—State Award :	
Males :		Machine Operator (Linotype or Mono-	
Cutters ...	5 3 6	type) ...	6 2 6
Foremen ...	4 16 0	Hand Compositor, Stereotyper, Book-	
Trimmers, Fitters, Tailors, Mach-		binder and Finisher, Paper Ruler,	
inists and Pressers ...	4 9 6	Calico Bag Printer, Lithographer,	5 0 6
All others ...	3 10 6	Letterpress Machinist, Paper Bag	
Females :		Machinist, Envelope Cutter and	
Cutters ...	5 3 6	Guillotine Cutter	
Trimmers, Fitters, and Pressers ...	4 9 6	Females—Adult ...	2 5 4
Machinists ...	2 16 0		
Body and Dress Coat Hands ...	4 9 6		
All other Coat Hands ...	2 16 0		
Trouser Hands ...	2 9 0		
Vest and Skirt Hands ...	2 6 8		
Dyeing and Cleaning—		VEHICLES AND FITTINGS, SADDLERY, HAR-	
Males ...	3 15 6	NESS, ETC.	
Females ...	2 12 7	Coachbuilding, etc.—	
Waterproof Garments—		Coachsmith, Painter, Wheelwright, etc.	4 14 6
Males :		Spoke Throaters, Machinists, etc.	4 10 6
Dippers and Proofers ...	4 7 6	Smith's Striker ...	3 16 0
Cutters ...	4 7 6	Sectional Trimmer ...	4 6 6
Females :		Floor Man ...	4 5 6
Makers ...	2 12 2	Metal Panel Fixer ...	4 3 6
Machinists ...	2 2 4	Painter's Labourer ...	3 19 6
Others ...	2 3 10	Vyce Man ...	3 17 6
Rope and Cordage—		Storeman ...	4 0 6
Rope Maker ...	4 5 6	Others ...	3 10 6
Assistant ...	3 15 6	Saddlery and Leather Working—	
Other ...	3 10 6	Journeyman ...	4 9 9
Female ...	1 18 1	Females ...	2 5 3
Bag, Sack, and Textile Workers—			to
Floor Hands (Females) ...	1 18 1	Females ...	4 6 8
Machinists and Hand Cutters (Females) ...	2 0 1		
Factory Hands (Male) ...	4 0 6	SHIPBUILDING, ETC	Per hour
		Shipwrights and Boatbuilders ...	0 2 5

No. 40.—Minimum Rates of Wages payable under Awards of Courts of Arbitration and Industrial Agreements in certain Trades and Occupations as at 30th June, 1936—contd.

Occupation.	Wages.	Occupation.	Wages.
FURNITURE, BEDDING, ETC.		MISCELLANEOUS—continued.	
Furniture Making—		Attendance and Service—	
Cabinet-maker, Wood Carver, Wood Turner, Leadlighter, Shaper and Upholsterer ...	£ s. d. Per week. 4 14 6	Barmen, Barmaids (without Board and Lodging) ...	£ s. d. Per week. 4 10 6
French Polisher, Glass Beveller, Wire-Mattress Maker and Wicker Worker ...	4 11 6	Boarding and/or Lodging Houses and Service Flats (without Board and Lodging)—	
Mattress Maker ...	4 8 6	Cook (Male) ...	4 10 6
Picture Frame Maker ...	4 5 6	Yardman ...	3 10 6
Labourer ...	{ 3 10 6 to 3 13 6	Cook (Female) ...	2 13 1
DRUGS AND CHEMICALS.		Waitress ...	3 3 1
Superphosphate Works—	Per week. 3 15 0	Housemaid, Pantrymaid ...	2 0 7
Phosphate Rock Section ...	{ 4 1 0 4 4 0	Hotels and Coffee Palaces (without Board and Lodging)—	
Sulphur Section ...	{ 4 10 0 3 15 0	Cooks (Male) ...	3 12 8
Superphosphate Section ...	{ 4 4 0 3 18 0	to	4 14 10
Sulphuric Acid Chamber Section	{ 4 4 0 Acid and Chemical Manufacturing Plant Section ...	Cooks (Female) ...	2 19 9
Mixed Manure Plant ...	{ 3 15 0 4 4 0	Waiter ...	4 0 0
General Section ...	{ 3 15 0 4 7 0	Night Porter ...	3 11 8
SCIENTIFIC APPLIANCES.		Hall Porter ...	3 12 8
Optical Instruments—		Waitress and other Female Workers ...	3 10 6
Optical Mechanic ...	4 16 0	Restaurants (without Board)—	
WATCHES, JEWELLERY, ETC.		Cooks (Male) ...	3 10 6
Jewellers and Allied Trades—		Cooks (Female) ...	4 10 9
Watchmakers and Clockmakers ...	4 15 6	Waiter ...	2 7 11
Jewellers ...	4 14 6	Cooks (Female) ...	3 8 1
Enamellers and Metal Badge Makers ...	4 10 6	Waiter ...	3 10 6
Females ...	2 10 6	Other Male Workers ...	3 10 6
LIGHT, HEAT, AND POWER.		Waitress ...	2 2 7
Electric Light Works—	Per day.	Other Female Workers ...	2 0 8
Turbine Driver ...	0 16 10	Counter Hand ...	2 6 11
Leading Fireman ...	0 16 3	Clubs (without Board and Lodging)—	
Auxiliary Plant Attendant ...	0 16 0	Cooks (Male) ...	3 16 6
Fireman, Greaser ...	0 15 2	Cooks (Female) ...	4 19 6
Boiler Cleaner ...	{ to 0 15 5	Waiter ...	3 5 1
Engine or Plant Cleaner ...	0 13 11	Barman ...	4 6 1
Gas Works—	Per week. 4 7 3	Waiter ...	4 3 6
Retort Operator ...	{ to 4 16 5	Kitchenman, Pantryman, and Steward ...	3 15 6
Gas Meter Repairer ...	4 14 6	Waitress and other Female Workers ...	2 16 4
Stove Fitter and Repairer ...	4 6 6	Butchering and Slaughtering (Metropolitan) Shop Section :	
Mainlayer or Caulker ...	4 2 6	Order Cart Hand ...	3 15 6
Men emptying or filling purifier ...	3 16 6	General Butcher ...	4 10 6
Men filling casks, etc., with tar ...	3 16 6	Cutting Cart Hand ...	4 10 6
Stove Assemblers ...	3 19 6	Smallgoodsman ...	4 10 6
Men engaged on Coal, Coke, or Tar ...	3 13 6	First Shopman ...	4 15 6
Labourers ...	3 10 6	Beef Carters' Section : Beef Carters—Horse and Cart ...	4 0 6
RUBBER GOODS AND LEATHERWARE.		Motors (30 cwt.) ...	4 5 6
Rubber Factories—		Motors (over 30 cwt.) ...	4 10 6
Adult Male Workers ...	3 19 6	Abattoirs Section :	
MISCELLANEOUS.		Labourer ...	3 15 6
Agricultural and Pastoral Pursuits—		Slaughterman's Labourer ...	4 0 6
Shearers (not found) :	Per 100.	Beef Lumper and Tallowman ...	4 0 6
Flock Sheep ...	1 9 0	Slaughterman ...	4 18 0
Rams that have cut first two permanent teeth and for ram stags ...	2 18 0	Export Slaughterman for Slaughtering and Dressing : Woolly Sheep ...	per 100. 2 10 11
Stud Ewes (not special) ...	1 16 3	Sheep or Lambs ...	1 15 8
Special Studs (as per agreement) ...	0 17 0	Rams and Ram Stags ...	3 11 3
Shed Hands (not found) ...	5 8 6	Attendants on Slaughterman ...	Per day. 0 13 10 to 0 14 10
Shearing Cooks (found) ...	3 18 0	Building Contractors—	Per hour.
Station Hands (not found) ...	3 0 0	Plasterer ...	0 2 5

No. 40.—Minimum Rates of Wages payable under Awards of Courts of Arbitration and Industrial Agreements in certain Trades and Occupations as at 30th June, 1936—contd.

Occupation.	Wages.	Occupation.	Wages.
MISCELLANEOUS— <i>contd.</i>	£ s. d.	MISCELLANEOUS— <i>contd.</i>	£ s. d.
Carters and Drivers—		Dock, River and Harbour Works— <i>continued.</i>	
Horse Driver (1 horse)	4 0 0	Concrete Pile Construction:	Per week.
Horse Driver (2 to 5 horses) ... {	4 5 0 to 4 8 0	Fitter's Assistant	3 17 0
Horse Driver (over 5 horses, 6d. per day extra per horse)		Men employed hand-ramming hot bitumastic macadam	4 9 6 3 13 6
Stableman	3 19 0	Various classes of employees ... {	5 0 6
Motor Wagon Driver:		Dredge Employees—	Per week.
25 cwt. or less	4 5 0	Ladberman	4 9 6
26 cwt. to 3 tons	4 9 0	Quartermaster, Deckhands	4 1 3
Over 3 tons	4 13 0	Winchman (Leading)	4 6 6
Loaders, Yardmen, Horse and Motor Drivers' Assistants	3 18 0	Winchman (Other)	4 3 6
Passenger-Carrying—		Greaser	4 9 6
Taxi-car Drivers	4 2 0	Fireman	4 3 6
Char-a-banc Drivers	4 5 6	Engine-driving—	
All Others	3 10 6	Government (excluding Railways):	
Cemetery Employees—		Loco. Driver (Harbour Works) ...	4 14 6
Grave Digger	4 5 6	Pile Driver {	4 11 6 to 4 17 6
Gardener's Labourer	4 2 6	Stationary Steam (2nd Class Certificate) ...	4 11 6
Labourer	3 16 6	Stationary Steam (3rd Class Certificate) ...	4 2 6
Cleaning, etc.—		Producer Gas Engine ...	4 8 6
Cleaner (Male)	3 13 6	Steam Crane Drivers:	
Caretaker (Male)	4 15 0	25 tons and over ...	4 8 6
Cleaner (female minimum engagement, 25 hours per week, 1s. 6½d. per hour)	1 18 8	Under 25 tons ...	4 2 6
Lift Attendant	3 10 6	Main Roads Board:	
Window Cleaner (Male)	4 0 6	Steam Roller Drivers ...	5 5 6
Clerical—		Internal Combustion Rollers	
Wholesale Houses:		10 tons and over ...	5 5 6
Clerk (Male) {	3 14 6 to 4 5 6	Under 10 tons ...	5 0 6
Clerk (Senior)	4 15 6	Motor Graders ...	5 0 6
Clerk (Female)	2 11 8	Hairdressing—	
Retail Houses—		Hairdresser (Male) ...	4 10 6
Clerk (Male)	4 0 6	Hairdresser (Female) ...	2 19 8
Clerk (Female)	2 9 10	Hospital Employees (Coastal)—(a)	
Diving (Marine) and Tending—		Head Orderly {	4 1 6 to 4 10 6
Divers (when diving)	Per day. 1 9 11	Other Orderlies {	3 10 6 to 4 0 6
Divers (when not diving)	Per week. 4 8 6	Laundry Staff—	
Tenders (when tending)	Per day. 0 17 9	Washhouse-man ...	3 16 6
Tenders (when not tending)	Per week. 3 19 6	Washhouse-woman ...	3 1 3
Dock, River, and Harbour Works—		Ironers ...	2 15 3
Pile Driving:		Other Females (Adults) ...	2 9 9
Man in Charge	4 8 6	Kitchen Staff:	
Others {	3 16 6 to 3 19 6	Cooks {	3 3 3 to 3 9 3
Case Driving—		Kitchenmaid, Scullerymaid ...	2 8 10
Leading Hand	4 2 6	General Staff (Female) ...	2 8 10
Assistants	3 16 6	Kitcheman ...	3 13 6
Drilling and Blasting Plant:		Hospital Employees (Private Hospitals)—(b)—	
Leading Hand	4 14 6	Males—	
{	3 13 6	Orderly ...	3 10 6
Others {	3 19 6	Kitchenman, Yardman, Handyman ...	3 10 6
Quarry Workers {	3 16 6 to 4 5 0	Washhouseman ...	3 10 6
Miscellaneous—		Cook ...	3 17 6
Ganger {	4 8 6 to 5 0 6	Females—	
Survey Hands {	3 13 6 to 3 19 6	Kitchenmaid, Housemaid, Waitress ...	2 0 7
Concrete Pile-driving Plants:		Unclassified Worker ...	2 0 7
Man in Charge	4 14 6	Cook ...	2 10 7
Topman	4 5 6	Unregistered Nurses ...	2 3 1 to 2 5 7
Machine Man	4 2 6	Registered Nurses (see Nurses' Award, page 29)	

(a) Government and Public Hospitals—If Board and Lodging provided £1-0-10 per week to be deducted. (b) If Board provided 14s. 1d. for males and 13s. 9d. for females to be deducted. If Lodging provided 6s. 3d. for males and 6s. 1d. for females to be deducted.

No. 40.—Minimum Rates of Wages payable under Awards of Courts of Arbitration and Industrial Agreements in certain Trades and Occupations as at 30th June, 1936—contd.

Occupation.	Wages.	Occupation.	Wages.
MISCELLANEOUS—contd.	£ s. d. Per day.	MISCELLANEOUS—contd.	£ s. d. Per week.
Mining (Gold)—(a)		Nurses (Registered)—continued—	
General:		Government and Public Hospitals throughout State (b)—contd.	
Rock Drill Men	{ 0 18 5½ 0 to 19 7½ 0 17 7½	Matrons	{ 3 9 7 to 9 8 2
Hand Miners	{ 0 18 9½ 0 19 8½ 0 16 9½	(Subject to deduction for Board and Lodging—Nurses £1, Sisters £1, Assistant Matrons £1 to £1 5s., and Matrons £1 to £1 15s. per week.)	
Shaft Timber Men	0 16 3½	Nurses (Registered)—	
Mullockers, Truckers, Shovellers ...	0 16 3½	Private Hospitals—Nurses (Subject to deduction for Board 13s. 9d. and Lodging 6s. 1d.)	2 19 9
General Labourers (Surface) ...	0 16 3½		
Others	{ 0 18 9½		
Engineering:	Per week.		
Driller, Screwer, Motor Attendant ...	5 9 7	Painters and Decorators—	Per hour.
Electrical Wireman	5 15 7	Glaziers	0 2 2½
Electrical Linesman	5 15 7	Signwriters	0 2 4½
Pipe-fitter ...	5 12 7	Painters	0 2 4½
Coppersmith, Blacksmith, Turner,		Photographic Employees—	Per week.
Flitter, etc.	6 1 7	Male (Adult)	{ 3 10 6 to 3 16 0
Pattern maker	6 10 7	Female (Adult)	2 5 2
Boilermaker	6 1 7		
Carpenter	6 1 7	Quarrymen—	Per week.
Moulder	6 1 7	Jumpermen	3 19 3
Winding Engine-driver ...	{ 1 0 1½ to 1 2 1½ 0 19 1½	Crusher Feeders	4 5 0
Winch-driver	{ 0 19 7½ to 0 19 1½	Hammer and Drillmen	3 19 3
Loco Engine-driver ...	1 0 1½	Powder Monkeys	4 7 6
Stationary Steam Engine-drivers	{ 0 18 7½ to 0 19 9½	Spallers	4 2 0
Fireman—Leading	0 18 3½	Railways, Government—	Per day.
Fireman—Steam	0 17 3½	Engine-drivers	{ 0 17 9 to 1 3 4 0 14 8
Greasers, Cleaners	0 17 3½	Firemen	{ 0 16 8 0 15 7
Trimmer	0 16 9½	Guard	{ 0 17 2 0 12 10
Boiler Cleaners	0 18 9½	Porter	{ 0 14 2 0 13 11
Motor Service Station Attendants—	Per week.	Shunter	{ 0 14 5 0 13 4
Metropolitan	3 10 6	Signalman	{ 0 16 1 0 13 11
South-West Land Division	3 11 2	Cleaner (Adult)	{ 0 13 11
Kalgoorlie	4 5 7		
Municipal Employees (Perth)—	Per week.	Shop Assistants—	Per week.
Sanitary Employees:		Hardware, Furniture and Carpet Departments or Shops:	
Rubbish Tipmen	3 16 6	Male	4 3 0
Rubbish and Dust Carters	3 19 6	Female	2 11 4
Sanitary pan Removers, Washers, Stage Hands, Trenchmen and Offal		Grocery Departments or Shops—	
Carters	4 8 6	Male	4 3 0
Attendants, latrine	3 13 6	Female	3 1 4
Motor Lorry Drivers on Sanitary Work	5 1 6		
Horse-drivers	{ 3 18 6 to 4 4 6 4 2 6	Manchester, Dress and Silk Departments or Shops:	
Stablemen	{ 4 6 6 to 4 3 6	Male	4 3 0
Motor Lorry Drivers	{ 4 13 6 3 10 6	Female	2 14 10
Sweepers (Adults)	{ 3 12 6 to 2 5 8	All other Departments and Shops:	
Sweepers (Boys)	{ 3 13 6 to 4 5 6	Male	4 3 0
Drafnage Worker	{ 2 6 6 to 2 6 6	Female	2 6 4
Nurses (Registered)—	2 16 2	Storemen, Despatch Hands and Packers	4 3 0
Government and Public Hospitals throughout State (b):		Canvasser	4 7 6
Nurses	{ 2 16 2 to 3 3 10 3 9 7	Cleaners and door Porters	3 18 0
Sisters	{ 3 17 3 to 4 1 1	Lift Attendants	3 13 0
Matron's Assistants	{ 5 5 4	Tramways—	Per day.
		Conductors, Motormen and Pitmen ...	0 15 0
		Car Starter	0 16 5½
		Platelayer	0 14 7½
		Fettler, Track Reparler	0 13 11
		Storeman	0 16 1
		Motor Car and Lorry Drivers:	
		Not exceeding 25 cwt.	0 15 2½
		Exceeding 25 cwt. up to 5 tons ...	0 15 7½

(a) Rates include Industry Allowance of 2s. per shift. Underground workers receive 6d. per shift extra.

(b) Rates shown are for Metropolitan Area. Outside that Area the difference in basic wage is to be added.

There are also District Allowances for certain localities.

No. 40.—Minimum Rates of Wages payable under Awards of Courts of Arbitration and Industrial Agreements in certain Trades and Occupations as at 30th June, 1936—contd.

Occupation.	Wages.	Occupation.	Wages.
MISCELLANEOUS— <i>contd.</i>		MISCELLANEOUS— <i>contd.</i>	
Tramways— <i>contd.</i>	£ s. d. Per day. Ganger { 0 17 4½ to 0 19 6½ Meter Reader 0 16 1 Chainman 0 15 2½	Wine and Spirit Warehouse Employees— Cellarman—Head 4 12 0 Storeman 4 2 6 Others 4 0 6	Per week.
Undertakers— Coffin Makers 4 11 0 Trimmer 4 1 0 Groom 4 1 0	per week.	Wool Scouring— Wool Scourer (Man in charge of machine) 4 4 6 All other hands 3 18 6	
Waterside Workers— Lumper (General Cargo) 0 2 5½ Bulk Wheat— Trimmers 0 2 9½ Bagged Wheat— Men carrying and stacking wheat in ships' holds 0 2 8	Per hour.	Wool Stores— Head Classer 5 2 6 Assistant Classer 4 14 6 Assistant Storeman 4 7 6 Skin Sorter 4 2 6 Others 3 18 6	

XV.—METEOROLOGICAL STATISTICS.

(Supplied by the Commonwealth Meteorologist, Mr. W. S. Watt.)

No. 41.—Notes on the Rainfall and general weather conditions in Western Australia during the months of April, May and June, 1936.

April.—April rainfall in this State was accounted for almost entirely by three rainstorms, which presented many opposing features on the isobaric chart. The first set in on the Darwin coast and extended to the East Kimberley, the northern portion of that area adjacent to the Northern Territory receiving the heaviest gaugings. The second was the result of a southern disturbance on to the Leeuwin. This swept through the South-West and the Great Southern with good results, and although at many places it was not heavy enough to put much water in the dams, it sufficed for household purposes, whilst it enabled the cultivation of fallow and the sowing of oats and other feed crops. It unfortunately missed the main wheat belt and there water carting still continued, while the ground remained too hard for cultivation. The third rainstorm was of tropical origin and first affected the coastal portion of the Fortescue on the 17th and extended during the following few days throughout the greater part of the sub-tropical portion of the State. Unfortunately, owing to the high barometers, the West Gascoyne and the northern portion of the Midland country were the only divisions to reap any substantial benefits, the remaining portion only receiving very light falls.

Despite the heavier rains in the sections referred to, only a few stations outside the West Gascoyne showed totals above the usual April fall, and the greater part of the State was below the average, the rainfall at the majority of stations in the West Kimberley, North-West, Pilbara, Ashburton, East Gascoyne and the goldfields being negligible.

Temperatures were about equal to the average in sub-tropical districts and no excessively high day temperatures were encountered, although the maxima registered in Perth during the last two days constituted a record at the Observatory for the period.

No rough weather was reported from any coastal stations, but vessels running eastward towards Tasmania and far down in the Bight encountered on occasions westerly gales.

May.—The month of May was characterised by the activity of rain-bearing depressions which commenced to affect the State at an early date. The influence of these disturbances was most pronounced on the coast, through the fruit and dairying country and in the southern wheat belt, but at only a few centres were the monthly averages surpassed.

The figures for Perth were 543 points, falling on 15 days, or 33 points above the normal, the only station in the metropolitan area to show an excess.

Turning to inland districts, we find a steady diminution in rainfall with distance from the coast until at Mukinbudin, a typical station in the north-eastern section, the total was only 57 points falling on four days and 87 points under the average. Other stations in the north-eastern and eastern divisions also received light falls, but at other agricultural centres the falls were decidedly better, ranging in general between one and two inches, but still below the average.

In the Gascoyne and Goldfields the rainfall was confined to trivial showers, while in the tropics nothing beyond a very light shower in the East Kimberley was noted.

Temperature figures revealed no remarkable features, either in means or extremes, although some decidedly low night readings were disclosed towards the end of the month, when severe frosts were reported.

Very rough southerly weather was experienced on the coast between Perth and Albany and through portion of the country districts on the 21st in connection with a cyclonic depression and considerable damage was caused in the metropolitan area.

June.—A glance through the weather charts showed that both highs and lows were well formed and as a result a regular alternation of wet and dry periods was experienced throughout the month.

The most vigorous rainstorm occurred on the opening days of the month and was accompanied by strong north-west to west gales which hampered shipping and caused some damage to coastal and country centres. The rain was very heavy on the coast, reaching three or four inches at some centres, while heavy falls were recorded throughout the wheat belt, including the east and north-eastern areas which have suffered most from the long, dry summer. Falls from an inch to two inches were recorded in these two divisions and at some sections it was the heaviest 24 hour rain ever recorded. Dams were overflowing and a considerable amount of country was flooded.

Other noticeable falls occurred on the 7th, 9th, 18th and between the 24th and 30th, but the registrations, except on the 7th, fell away considerably in the eastern and north-eastern portions of the wheat belt.

The rains also extended on several days to the Gascoyne, Murchison and the goldfields, the most consistent occurring on the 3rd, 26th and 27th, and totals for the month ranged from 30 to 160 points, which, although under the average, will have done an immense amount of good.

In the northern portions of the wheat belt the registrations were all below normal, particularly between Mullewa and Buntine and through the Three Springs-Carnamah country, but on the coast, throughout the southern agricultural districts and the Avon Valley the monthly totals were mostly over average, the excesses being greater in the southern portion of the wheat belt.

The fine intervals were marked by cold nights and severe frosts with drying easterly winds, but on the whole both day and night temperatures were about equal to the usual figures met with in June.

Heavy coastal weather was prevalent. In Perth the stormiest day was the 2nd, when a total wind mileage of 693 miles was registered. The maximum hourly run of 43 miles was shown at 5 a.m., but momentary velocities of 55 miles were indicated.

No. 42.—Abstract of Meteorological Observations.

(a) At Perth (Latitude, 31° 57' S. Altitude above mean sea-level, 197 feet. Longitude, 115° 51' E.)

1936.	Barometer (inches).*			Shade Temperature (°Fahr.).								Evaporation.		Rainfall.			
	Mean, 9 a.m. and 3 p.m.	Highest.	Lowest.	Mean	Maximum.	Mean	Minimum.	Maximum on any one day.	Mean	Minimum on any one day.	Highest previous record since 1897.	Lowest previous record since 1897.	Inches.	Aver., 37 yrs, to end of 1935, Inches	Total.	Average for 60 years, to end of 1935.	
				Max.	Date.	Min.	Date.	Max.	Days.	Inches.	Days.	Inches.	Days.	Inches.	Days.		
Jan. ...	29.86	30.23	29.56	83	64	105	56	110	1934	49	1925	9.65	10.44	0.26	6	0.34	5
Feb. ...	.93	.13	.57	84	63	104	52	112	1933	48	1902	9.19	8.64	Nil.	Nil.	0.41	3
Mar. ...	.98	.24	.60	85	64	102	54	106	1922	46	1903	7.31	7.63	0.21	1	0.84	5
April ...	30.13	.45	.95	77	58	93	47	100	1910	39	1914	4.88	4.73	0.59	8	1.69	7
May ...	.09	.26	.57	68	52	83	38	90	1907	34	1914	2.71	2.76	5.43	15	5.10	14
June ...	.13	.55	.51	63	49	73	41	82	1914	35	1920	1.76	1.76	7.43	15	7.04	17
July ...																	
Aug. ...																	
Sept. ...																	
Oct. ...																	
Nov. ...																	
Dec. ...																	
†Mean	30.01	...	...	73	55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
†Extr'me	...	30.55	29.35	...	...	106	38	112	1933	34	{ 1914 1916 }	...	...	...	...	...	...
†Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	68.47	66.22	32.28	129	34.92	122

* In addition to other corrections further correction for standard gravity has been applied.

† Figures for 1935.

(b) Mean Annual Rainfall in Meteorological Land Divisions in Western Australia during 1935,
with averages to end of 1934.

Land Divisions.	Rainfall during 1935.		Average, previous years.		Period of Observations of Normal.	
	Range.	Mean.	Range of Means.	Average.	Range.	Average.
North Kimberley ...	Inches. 22.19 to 22.47	Inches. 22.33	Inches. 26.33 to 35.53	Inches. 30.87	Years. 20 to 48	Years. 31
East Kimberley ...	10.62 .. 27.55	18.15	16.47 .. 29.96	22.59	12 .. 44	35
West Kimberley ...	11.24 .. 39.77	21.69	14.10 .. 34.90	23.20	12 .. 49	33
De Grey ...	2.94 .. 9.29	6.36	11.23 .. 15.51	12.72	23 .. 48	37
Fortescue ...	2.03 .. 7.94	4.86	8.96 .. 15.57	11.46	22 .. 49	36
West Gascoyne ...	4.82 .. 7.91	6.43	8.33 .. 13.42	9.75	27 .. 52	38
East Gascoyne ...	2.91 .. 12.66	6.19	8.35 .. 11.71	9.48	23 .. 46	34
South-West—						
North Coastal	9.20 .. 18.77	13.68	11.09 .. 20.35	16.18	17 .. 57	32
Central Coastal	19.84 .. 42.17	28.44	21.66 .. 56.78	34.78	22 .. 59	42
South Coastal	18.44 .. 54.68	36.70	21.15 .. 60.87	38.76	21 .. 58	37
Central North	6.91 .. 17.53	10.57	9.13 .. 21.60	13.71	21 .. 55	30
Central South	9.12 .. 25.37	16.31	12.39 .. 29.44	17.68	19 .. 58	33
North-East ...	2.64 .. 3.72	3.40	8.29 .. 10.13	9.47	20 .. 36	25
South-East ...	4.11 .. 10.99	6.91	8.34 .. 10.83	9.62	29 .. 45	36
Eucia ...	7.34 .. 13.83	10.06	6.29 .. 10.85	8.80	17 .. 56	31

XVI.—PARLIAMENTARY ROLLS.

No. 43.—Legislative Assembly, Number on Rolls and General Elections, 15th February, 1936.

District.	Males.	Females.	Total.	District.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
<i>Number on Roll.</i>								
Albany ...	2,284	2,132	4,416	Mount Marshall ...	2,543	1,707	4,250	
Avon ...	2,151	1,566	3,717	Murchison ...	2,652	1,137	3,789	
Beverley ...	2,253	1,637	3,890	Murray-Wellington ...	2,142	1,791	3,933	
Boulder ...	1,879	1,531	3,410	Nedlands ...	4,705	5,095	9,800	
Brown Hill-Ivanhoe	1,680	1,170	2,850	Nelson ...	3,229	2,226	5,455	
Bunbury ...	2,551	2,438	4,989	Northam ...	2,472	2,162	4,634	
Canning ...	4,614	5,086	9,700	Perth ...	3,781	3,993	7,774	
Claremont ...	4,058	2,576	6,634	Perth, East ...	3,448	3,923	7,371	
Collie ...	2,366	1,912	4,278	Perth, North ...	2,724	3,619	6,343	
Forrest ...	2,506	1,693	4,289	Perth, West ...	2,911	3,955	6,866	
Fremantle ...	3,769	3,843	7,612	Pilbara ...	600	126	726	
Fremantle, North-East	3,127	3,617	6,744	Pingelly ...	2,212	1,563	3,775	
Fremantle, South ...	3,593	3,711	7,304	Roebourne ...	426	149	575	
Gascoyne ...	826	353	1,179	Subiaco ...	3,287	4,254	7,541	
Geraldton ...	2,138	1,854	3,992	Sussex ...	1,928	1,521	3,449	
Greenough ...	3,370	2,128	5,498	Swan ...	2,841	2,756	5,597	
Guildford-Midland	3,017	3,210	6,227	Toodyay ...	1,863	1,509	3,372	
Hannans ...	1,377	1,096	2,473	Victoria Park ...	3,771	4,280	8,051	
Irwin-Moore ...	1,995	1,302	3,297	Wagin ...	2,246	1,922	4,168	
Kalgoorlie ...	2,382	1,867	4,249	Williams-Narrogin ...	1,730	1,417	3,147	
Canowna ...	1,456	633	2,089	Yilgarn-Coolgardie	2,632	1,228	3,860	
Katanning ...	2,757	22,770	5,027	York ...	1,602	1,280	2,882	
Kimberley ...	750	199	949	Total ...	130,065	117,400	247,465	
Leederville ...	4,188	5,025	9,213					
Maylands ...	3,501	4,159	7,660					
Middle Swan ...	4,232	4,224	8,456					
Mount Hawthorn ...	3,314	3,737	7,051					
Mt. Magnet—				<i>Electors in Contested Districts ...</i>		99,698	94,656	194,354
Sub-District Mt.								
Leonora ...	1,078	419	1,497					
Sub-District Mt.								
Magnet ...	1,018	399	1,417	Votes Recorded ...	71,734	64,575	*136,309	

* Including 1,518 informal votes.

No. 44.—Legislative Council, Net Enrolment, 9th April, 1936, and Biennial Elections, 12th May, 1934.

Province.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Province.	Males.	Females.	Total.
<i>Number on Roll.</i>							
Central ...	5,140	771	5,911	South-West ...	5,368	1,343	6,711
East ...	9,396	2,363	11,759	West ...	5,885	2,435	8,320
Metropolitan ...	4,896	2,384	7,280	Total ...	63,407	21,987	85,394
Metropolitan-Suburban	19,747	9,113	28,860				
North ...	804	137	941	ELECTIONS—12TH MAY, 1934.			
North-East ...	2,944	1,134	4,078	Total Electors on Rolls	62,168	22,823	84,491
South ...	3,254	844	4,098	Electors in Contested Provinces ...	59,163	21,574	80,737
South-East ...	5,973	1,463	7,436	Votes recorded ...	31,590	10,189	*41,779

* Including 596 informal votes.

XVII.—CENSUS OF 30th JUNE, 1933, and 4th April, 1921.

Note.—For details of Population and Dwellings in each Local Government Area, see previous (March) issue, page 36.

No. 45—Age Groups.

Age last Birthday.	Census.				Increase, 1921-1933.	
	4th April, 1921.		30th June, 1933.			
	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.		
Years						
0—4	34,977	20,530	19,767	40,297	5,320	
5—9	37,884	20,781	20,012	40,793	2,900	
10—14	34,533	19,935	19,323	39,258	4,725	
15—19	29,668	20,389	19,524	39,913	10,245	
20—24	25,769	20,873	19,056	39,929	14,160	
25—29	24,429	22,261	17,510	39,771	15,342	
30—34	24,296	20,345	15,388	35,733	11,437	
35—39	22,922	15,293	13,547	28,840	5,918	
40—44	22,585	14,113	12,563	26,676	3,791	
45—49	21,477	12,823	11,046	23,869	2,392	
50—54	18,444	11,895	9,932	21,827	3,383	
55—59	13,363	10,370	8,457	18,827	5,464	
60—64	8,967	9,275	7,278	16,553	7,586	
65—69	5,122	6,830	5,109	11,939	6,817	
70—74	2,955	4,188	3,049	7,237	4,282	
75—79	1,605	1,901	1,607	3,508	1,903	
80—84	684	703	668	1,371	687	
85—89	248	206	287	493	245	
90—94	38	39	49	88	50	
95—99	14	10	9	19	5	
100 and over	1	4	1	5	4	
Not stated	2,451	1,173	733	1,906	a 545	
Total	332,732	233,937	204,915	438,852	106,120	
Under 21 years	142,801	85,756	82,489	168,245	25,444	
21 years and over	187,480	147,008	121,693	268,701	81,221	

a Decrease.

46.—Conjugal Conditions.

Conjugal Condition.	Census.				Increase, 1921-1933.	
	4th April, 1921.		30th June, 1933.			
	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.		
Never Married—						
Under Age 14	100,695	57,835	55,706	113,541	12,846	
Age 14 and over	93,940	80,560	51,352	131,912	37,972	
Total, Never Married	194,635	138,395	107,058	245,453	50,818	
Married	121,635	86,422	82,883	169,305	47,670	
Widowed	13,054	6,468	13,808	20,276	7,222	
Divorced	610	781	648	1,429	819	
Not stated	2,798	1,871	518	2,389	a 409	
Total	332,732	233,937	204,915	438,852	106,120	

a Decrease.

No. 47.—Occupations.

Industry.	Census.				Increase, 1921-1933.	
	4th April, 1921.		30th June, 1933.			
	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.		
Fishing and Trapping	2,163	1,571	5	1,576	-587	
Agricultural, Pastoral and Dairying—						
Agricultural	22,289	29,584	571	30,155	7,866	
Dairying		3,855	175	4,030		
Grazing		4,587	72	4,659		
Fruit Growing	9,156	2,011	94	2,105	6,081	
Other		4,344	99	4,443		
Total	31,445	44,381	1,011	45,392	13,947	
Forestry	5,657	4,189	7	4,196	-1,461	
Mining and Quarrying	9,044	10,979	29	11,008	1,964	
Industrial—						
Manufacture	19,034	16,891	4,805	21,696	2,662	
Building	4,726	5,702	24	5,726	1,000	
Roads, Railways, etc.	6,291	13,855	13	13,868	7,577	
Electricity, Gas, Water, etc.	1,999	2,020	31	2,051	52	
Total	32,050	38,468	4,873	43,341	11,291	
Transport and Communication	14,222	15,980	739	16,719	2,497	
Commerce and Finance	19,997	22,517	7,890	30,407	10,410	
Public Administration and Professional	14,545	8,530	7,721	16,251	1,706	
Entertainment, Sport and Recreation	1,034	1,332	173	1,505	471	
Personal and Domestic	14,034	4,081	12,453	16,534	2,500	
Total, Breadwinners	144,191	152,028	34,901	186,929	42,738	
No Industry or Industry not stated	4,659	(a) 7,733	(a) 2,403	(a) 10,136	5,477	
Pensioners	(b)	8,239	7,863	16,102	(b)	
Dependants	183,882	65,937	159,748	225,685	41,803	
GRAND TOTAL ...	332,732	233,937	204,915	438,852	106,120	

Note.—Minus sign (—) denotes Decrease.

(a) Includes unemployed persons for whom industry was not stated; also a number who were described as independent and who have been included tentatively as such pending further analysis. (b) Owing to change of classification comparable figures for 1921 Census are not available.

48.—Grade of Employment.

Grade.	Census.				Increase, 1921-1933.	
	4th April, 1921.		30th June, 1933.			
	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.		
Employer	9,200	15,539	1,591	17,130	7,930	
Working on own account	22,918	25,619	3,081	28,700	5,782	
Wage or Salary Earner		74,585	24,139	98,724		
Apprenticed Wage Earner		1,448	311	1,759		
Wage Earner employed part-time, including those stated to be on sustenance or relief work	95,679	11,438	1,237	12,675	17,479	
Unemployed (excluding those under 21 years without previous occupation) ...	9,071	20,734	3,633	24,367		
Unemployed under 21 years stated to be without previous occupation ...		742	358	1,100	16,396	
Helper not receiving Salary or Wages ...	1,498	2,763	170	2,933	1,435	
Grade not applicable (a)	191,385	80,865	170,314	251,179	59,794	
Not stated	2,981	204	81	285	(b) 2,696	
Total	332,732	233,937	204,915	438,852	106,120	

(a) Includes pensioners, persons of private means not in business, persons engaged in home duties, scholars and other dependents. (b) Decrease.

49.—Unemployment.

Cause.	Census.				Increase, 1921-1933.	
	4th April, 1921.		30th June, 1933.			
	Persons.	Males. (c)	Females. (c)	Persons. (c)		
Scarcity of Employment	3,552	18,233	3,041	21,274	17,722	
Illness	2,606	1,171	431	1,602	(a) 1,004	
Industrial Dispute	82	70	3	73	(a) 9	
Accident	379	469	24	493	114	
Other Causes	1,990	15	1	16	(a) 1,983	
Voluntarily (so described)	(b)	300	184	464	464	
Not stated	453	1,218	327	1,545	1,092	
Total	9,071	21,476	3,991	25,467	16,396	

(a) Decrease. (b) Not shown separately in 1921. (c) Excluding Wage Earners stated to be employed part-time or on Sustenance or Relief Work.

50.—Birthplaces.

Birthplace.	Census.				Increase, 1921-1933.	
	4th April, 1921.		30th June, 1933.			
	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.		
British—						
Australia	248,866	166,723	161,569	328,292	79,426	
New Zealand, etc.	2,552	1,440	1,169	2,609	57	
British Isles	66,455	51,131	37,467	88,598	22,143	
Other European	366	255	152	407	41	
Asia	999	1,207	606	1,813	814	
Africa	509	386	281	667	158	
America (Canada, etc.)	411	315	156	471	60	
China	1,226	677	26	703	— 523	
Denmark	393	267	57	324	— 69	
Germany	1,005	723	272	995	— 10	
Greece	576	990	289	1,279	703	
Italy	1,975	3,662	901	4,563	2,588	
Japan	1,219	495	39	534	— 685	
Norway	340	361	33	394	— 54	
Russia	412	220	163	383	— 29	
Sweden	630	413	32	445	— 185	
United States of America	446	303	177	480	34	
Yugo-Slavia	524	1,909	413	2,322	1,798	
At Sea	234	65	82	147	— 87	
All other Stated	2,540	1,843	652	2,495	— 45	
Not Stated	1,054	552	379	931	— 123	
Total	332,732	233,937	204,915	438,852	106,120	

Note.—Minus sign (—) denotes Decrease.

51.—Religions.

Religion.	Census.				Increase, 1921-1933.	
	4th April, 1921.		30th June, 1933.			
	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.		
Baptist ...	5,541	2,793	2,808	5,601	60	
Catholic, Greek	750	1,211	538	1,749	999	
Catholic, Roman	64,488	38,932	35,422	74,354	9,866	
Catholic, Undefined	2,048	2,257	1,877	4,134	2,086	
Church of Christ	3,861	2,597	3,017	5,614	1,753	
Church of England	153,285	98,941	89,516	188,457	35,172	
Christian Scientists	267	312	485	797	530	
Congregational	6,557	2,935	3,026	5,961	— 596	
Lutheran	1,159	776	312	1,088	— 71	
Methodist	39,116	22,223	22,208	44,521	5,405	
Presbyterian	28,377	17,576	15,118	32,694	4,317	
Protestant, Undefined	5,739	3,110	2,587	5,697	— 42	
Salvation Army	2,331	1,251	1,382	2,633	302	
Seventh Day Adventists	1,433	724	928	1,652	219	
Other Christian, including Undefined	1,944	1,129	1,083	2,212	268	
Total, Christian	316,896	196,767	180,397	377,164	60,268	
Buddhist	1,177	188	33	221	— 956	
Hebrew	1,919	1,097	1,008	2,105	186	
Mohammedan	826	322	11	333	— 493	
Other Non-Christian	654	252	18	270	— 384	
Indefinite	1,478	732	440	1,172	— 306	
No Religion	1,774	651	150	801	— 973	
No Reply	8,008	33,928	22,858	56,786	48,778	
TOTAL	332,732	233,937	204,915	438,852	106,120	

Note.—Minus sign (—) denotes Decrease.

XVIII.—MID-MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT IN WESTERN AUSTRALIAN FACTORIES

No. 52.—Index numbers representing the Trend of Employment in Factories and Works compiled on the basis of monthly returns specially collected from establishments which together furnish approximately 36 per cent. of the total employment in Secondary Industries.

The Annual Mean Employment for the year 1929-30 has been taken as a base equalling 100. The index number for 1930-31 fell to 77. The indices in the table hereunder show the fluctuations in the Number of Employees on the Pay Roll on or about the 15th day of each month, from July, 1931, to June, 1936.

Year.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1931 ... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	66	64	65	66	68	69
1932	66	68	72	72	70	68	71	71	72	76	77	78
1933	77	78	78	79	75	75	74	77	78	81	83	85
1934	83	83	86	88	85	84	82	84	88	89	88	89
1935	90	92	93	95	94	94	91	91	95	97	98	100
1936	99	100	101	101	102	100						

XIX.—BUILDING PERMITS.

No. 53.—Building Permits Issued since 1926 by Local Governing Authorities in the Metropolitan Area.

Period.	New Dwellings and Hotels.		New Stores, Warehouses and other Buildings.		Additions and Alterations.		Total Permits Issued.	
	No.	Value £.	No.	Value £.	No.	Value £.	No.	Value £.
1926-27	1,651	1,130,316	504	598,299	887	203,185	3,042	1,931,800
1927-28	1,891	1,351,052	299	583,008	1,326	239,876	3,516	2,173,936
1928-29	2,071	1,756,504	268	556,744	1,586	204,941	3,925	2,518,189
1929-30	1,561	1,176,742	253	492,100	1,298	164,132	3,112	1,832,974
1930-31	488	275,157	131	60,308	780	57,321	1,399	392,786
1931-32	575	326,955	109	196,430	708	72,322	1,392	595,707
1932-33	808	514,703	119	123,388	737	93,890	1,664	731,981
1933-34	1,064	714,245	115	109,887	966	163,606	2,145	987,738
1934-35	1,243	940,188	175	243,131	1,047	170,788	2,465	1,354,107
1935-36	1,449	1,092,070	183	359,042	1,096	170,018	2,728	1,621,130
Quarter ended September, 1935 ...	337	256,691	48	196,629	271	51,803	656	505,123
Quarter ended December, 1935 ...	343	253,960	51	45,800	261	34,911	655	334,671
Quarter ended March, 1936 ...	399	306,658	37	42,541	257	29,170	693	378,369
Quarter ended June, 1936 ...	370	274,761	47	74,072	307	54,134	724	402,967

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